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TREATY FIGHT TO BE FORCED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The House Ways and Means Committee to-day postponed voting on the reciprocity agreement until to-morrow because of difficulty in construing the provisio as t paper and wood-pulp. A favorable report is anticipated. The administration and all the friends of the measure intend to force its passage in both branches of Congress. Despite the delay in the vote, adoption of the agreement before the end of the present session now seems to be assured, fro developments at the Capitol to-day. The committee spent two hours in executive session and heard Representative Mann of Illinois, who made a long argument in favor. Mr. Mann paid particular attention to the wood pulp and print paper schedules.

Will Report McCall Bill.

It was practically agreed by the committee that it will favorably report the McCall bill embodying reciprocity to the House without amendment next week. Another meeting will be held at 10:30 to-morrow, when the vote will be taken.

Another thing which prevented a vote being taken to-day to favorably report the bill was the absence of the chairman, Representative Payne, who is ill. If Mr. Payne is not present to-morrow the vote will be taken and the bill sent to the House Monday or Tuesday.

There is hardly any doubt that the measure will receive a substantial majority when voted on in the House.

That it will pass the Senate is now probably assured, because a canvass of that body to-day showed that when the vote is taken there it will pass by a majority of at least five.

The only thing that can hold up the passage of the treaty through the Senate is a filibuster, which to-day is not considered likely, in view of the efforts of President Taft to get the measure through.

President Taft's "keynote" speech, to be delivered at Columbus, O., to-day, as the opening utterance of his speechmaking tour, and Secretary Wilson's official assurance to the farmers that their interests will not suffer under the new trade arrangement, are expected will greatly help in overcoming the opposition and rendering an extra session of Congress unnecessary.

Secretary Wilson's Letter.

Secretary Wilson in his letter to the farmers declares that the agreement is not one-sided, as has been charged, giving our markets for meats and grains to the Canadians with nothing in return.

"We get into the Canadian woods, ninety million or more of us," said Secretary Wilson, "for timber products, things very much needed, as our home supply is so much reduced that prices have gone up markedly in the last few years. The Southern States have a new market for their cottonseed oils which will be valuable to them. Canada opens the doors to our fruits, which will give to our orchardists a growing market for their products. It comes into the United States free, which will mean quite as much to our people as the opening of our markets to Canada to poultry products. We are to have free trade in seeds, which is well, because many seeds we now have coming from northern latitudes. We do not grow enough of flax to make our oils and will derive benefit from the free introduction of flaxseed. Free barbed wire fencing will be a boon to our farmers."

Answers the Farmers.

Secretary Wilson answers the contention of the farmers that justice requires the lowering of duties on manufactured products simultaneously with the lowering of duties on products of the farm. The extent to which duty on manufactured goods can be reduced, he says, depends altogether on whether the reduction will let in a sufficient quantity of foreign products to interfere with the employment and wages of our working people.

"When the working man loses his job," says Secretary Wilson, "the farmer loses his customer," and from this he argues that it is a short sighted policy on the part of the American farmer to insist on too great a reduction in American manufactured products.

SENATOR ACCUSES MR. TAFT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Senator Lafollette to-day insisted an open letter in which he attacked President Taft for the latter's stand in the Cunningham coal land cases, and demanded that President Taft answer the questions he is now seeking to evade.

A sharp line of prospective conflict between Senator Lafollette and the President will be drawn by the Senator's charge that President Taft is evading personal responsibility.

In his letter, which was addressed to President Taft, the Senator said:

"On January 9 two bills were introduced by Senator Nelson and referred to the Committee on Public Lands. The first is a special bill for the transfer of the decision of the Cunningham cases from your hands to the court of appeals of the District of Columbia. The second is a general bill providing for the transfer of the decision of all land cases from the executive to the courts, and authorizing a new trial de novo in cases which have already been heard before the Interior Department.

Possibility of Appeal.

"Under either bill the decision of the Cunningham case may be taken from your hands and turned over to the Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia.

"You have either directly or indirectly given the to country understand that it was your fixed purpose to make a personal disposition of the Cunningham case.

"On June 10, 1910, owing to the peculiar nature of this case and the relations previously existing between the Secretary of the Interior and the Cunningham claimants you ordered that the final office make no final disposition of the claims without first advising you.

"On November 9, 1910—five months later your secretary, Mr. Norton, wrote and gave to the press a letter addressed to Messrs. Gifford and Amos Pinchot, extending permission to those gentlemen to submit to you a brief on the question of issuing patents to these Cunningham claims.

"This letter, Mr. Norton stated, was written at your direction, although it was mailed after you had left Washington and was on your way to Panama. "You thus affirmed directly and confirmed directly your intention of taking personal cognizance of the Cunningham cases.

"Scarcely had you taken passage for Panama when Secretary Ballinger publicly declared his intention of recommending that a special act of Congress should be passed taking the Cunningham case OUT OF YOUR HANDS and transferring them to the court of Appeals of the District of Columbia.

"On January 1, 1911, you were furnished with the Pinchot brief, a carefully prepared review of the evidence in the case.

"On January 9, 1911, the two bills here referred to were introduced in Congress by Senator Nelson. It has been publicly stated that these bills have in some measure received your support.

"Is This True?"

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"In view of what has transpired, this question is important. In view of your assurance to the public that the case would be decided made your personal supervision. In view of Ballinger's subsequent recommendation that I now quote, of this responsibility, it is a matter of grave concern that Congress be informed as to what, if any, are your reasons for urging the passage of these bills.

"What consideration of public policy demanded that the unbroken precedent of years should be reversed just at the time when the public was led to believe that a decision on the Cunningham claims was imminent at your hands?

"Is there any consideration that may be presented to Congress, other than that of public policy, which urges the exterior embarrassment of having these claims carried to a close in the face of his own deferred decision?

"Have you yourself assumed all responsibility for the disposal of this case. You have taken it out of the hands of the Interior Department. There is in this case, therefore, no accredited tribunal of last investigation and adjudication by officers of the same department. It is a matter solely of executive duty, of executive responsibility.

"This being the case, it is proper and important that Congress know the executive attitude toward these two bills. If it be this particular instance quite as important that the public know it.

"After assuming the responsibility for the pursuing or withholding from patent in the Cunningham claims entries, do you now wish the relieved of this? Is it your desire that at the eleventh hour Congress shall take from you the responsibility of this case—a jurisdiction you voluntarily and publicly assumed? If so, upon what grounds of public policy or of public benefit?

(Signed) "ROBERT M. LAFOLLETTE."

SH! WHITE TELLS ON LOMASNEY

Representative Norman H. White of Brooklina could tell a lot of talking things about Representative Martin M. Lomasney, he says, if he wanted to be "nasty." Among other things, he says, he could tell about "the time a certain man chased Martin through City Hall with a revolver and shot him in the seat of the pants."

Representative Lomasney will be much obliged to Representative White, he says, if White will tell about the shooting incident or anything else. Mr. Lomasney says he will consider such conduct on Mr. White a sufficient excuse for his digging from his inside coat pocket any there until White forces him to pull it out. So the indications on Beacon Hill to-day were that Messrs. White and Lomasney will maintain an armed truce—until one of them changes his mind about keeping what he professes to know about the other to himself.

Lomasney and White met, but didn't speak, in the House of Representatives lobby a few minutes after noon to-day. White was busy conversing with his chum, Representative Robert M. Washburn of Worcester, and may not have seen Martin. Martin saw White, and kept his eyes on him as he passed, but White didn't glance in his direction.

"I'm willing to let the matter drop," White said, speaking of his altercation on the floor of the House with Lomasney. "I'm not angry with Martin, even though he did exceed the bounds of fairness in making indirect charges about my being ejected off the highways of the State and about men who voted for me being arrested.

"If I wanted to be nasty, I could tell a lot of things. I could tell, if I wanted to, about the time a certain man chased Martin through City Hall with a revolver and shot him in the seat of the pants. But I won't do it. At least, my present intention is not to do it."

Lomasney Has the Papers.

"Let him come on," said Lomasney, punching the air with his chin, when he was asked about what he intends to do to continue or disclose als affair with Representative White. "He can come on, if he wants to. I'm a slow man to hit any one, but when a man hits me I always hit back, and I'm prepared to hit back good and hard in this case.

"See those?" indicating a bunch of papers which crammed the inside pocket of his coat. "Or the ones right there. Mr. White can start anything he wants to, and we'll see who ends it. As for my being afraid to be arrested, that's all my eye.

"The man who did the job is now a fugitive from justice.

"If Mr. White knows anything about me he's welcome to tell it. And when I say that I mean that neither White nor anyone else has anything on me. I'd advise Mr. White, before he goes around making cracks about the Lomasneys and the Fitzgeralds and so on and so forth, to get the goods before he makes charges. I always get the goods, and I've got 'em now."

MALDEN MAN HELD ON GIRLS' CHARGES

Two pretty girls appeared in the Malden Municipal Court to-day against Morris Rosenthal of Cross street, Malden, who formerly kept a real estate office in School street, Boston, and made grave charges against him. The girls were Esther E. Anderson, eighteen years old, of Providence, and Clementina Charland, seventeen years old, of No. 36 Cunningham street, Boston. Rosenthal was charged with enticing the girls to Malden. He pleaded not guilty and was held in $2,000 bail for examination on February 14. The two girls pleaded guilty to charges made against them and they were held in $500 bail each for a hearing on the same date. Rosenthal is thirty-five years of age. He is married.

THREATEN STRIKE ON NEW YORK CENTRAL

CINCINNATI, Feb. 10.—Alleging that various employes have been discharged for small reasons, contrary to the agreement under which they work, representatives of various trainmen's organizations and the Railroad telegraphers have sent a telegram to President W. C. Brown of the New York Central lines, demanding that they be fixed for a conference with officials of the Big Four Railway who are said to have exercised discrimination against union men. Failing to obtain an early conference, the union leaders assert that they will issue a call for a general strike vote on all New York Central lines west of Buffalo.

ATTACKS WOMAN; IS NEARLY KILLED

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—An unidentified young man who attempted to rob Miss Mary Mead at Eighteenth street and Wabash avenue is seriously ill at the hospital, where he was sent following an attack by three men who went to Miss Mead's rescue. The thief's skull was fractured and it was said he probably would die. The others escaped.

WILLIAM THAW, 3d, AND BRIDE IN HER WEDDING GOWN

THAW VANISHES ON HONEYMOON

PITTSBURG, Feb. 10.—William Thaw, 3d, who was married in New York on December 1 to Miss Gladys Virginia Bradley, after she had kept him on probation for six months under a pledge to abstain from drinking, has mysteriously disappeared while on his honeymoon in the West Indies.

This information has been given out at North Side police headquarters and was confirmed at the home of Mrs. William Thaw, mother of the young man and one of the leaders of Pittsburg society.

It is said that Mrs. Thaw immediately upon receiving word personally from the bride that her son was missing, communicated with the police and requested that Detective Frank Lee be allowed to take up the search for the young man.

Lee, who for many years acted as guard for Thaw in the latter's wild days, obtained a leave of absence and he is believed to be already aboard a steamer on the way to Jamaica, where Thaw was last seen.

Lee located the young man on several occasions before and the family place absolute confidence in him.

Nothing could be learned at the Thaw home beyond the fact that William Thaw was missing and was being sought. The present stopping place of the bride and the circumstances of his having her are not known.

The relatives of the young man cannot believe that he has broken the pledge of sobriety made to both his mother and his young wife. Mrs. William Thaw fears that her son has been lost overboard from a steamer.

The news of his disappearance has been a severe blow to her. She is said to have given Miss Bradley, the bride, her own positive assurance of William's good behavior, a few weeks before the ceremony.

Once before, however, the young man broke a pledge to his mother. She had gone to court to have a guardian appointed for him after he had drunk away several hundreds on a bet and had nearly died from the effects, but on his promise to reform absolutely, was relieved. The reform was not complete, but when he fell in love with Miss Bradley, who is a sister of Mrs. Anthony Drexel Biddle and who insisted on a six months' test of his ability to keep sober, he really adhered to his pledge.

The wedding was celebrated in the St. Regis in New York on December 1 and the young couple departed on the honeymoon, which has been so strangely interrupted.

CRIPPEN ESTATE TO MISS LENEVE

LONDON, Feb. 10.—The will of Dr. H. H. Crippen, made just before his execution in Pentonville Prison and leaving all of his £1,242 estate to his sweetheart, Ethel LeNeve, was recorded for probate to-day. Miss LeNeve is the sole executrix.

MEXICAN GENERAL IS SHOT

EAGLE PASS, Tex., Feb. 10. Shot in the neck by one of his own soldiers, during a battle with insurrecto, General Torres, Mexican federal commander of the department of Sonora, to-day lies at the point of death. The news was brought here by a courier who had ridden from the scene of the battle fifty miles south of the border, near teh town of Toloehi.

A twelve-hour battle between Mexican revolutionists and federals with 500 revolutionists pitted against 250 regulars has been fought near Multato, Mexico, with heavy loss to both sides, according to advices reaching here to-day.

Reports reached the city early to-day that a body of armed men were crossing the international boundary between Nortu and Malpais, about 25 miles west of this city on the El Paso and Southwestern railroad. A train of nine cars was made up and left at 3 o'clock this morning, carrying a large detachment of the Fourth United States cavalry to the scene.

General Orozco, who has been trying to corral Casillas yesterday, camped last night at Rancho Flores with approximately 600 men. Whether he will risk a battle with General Navarro, who is marching north, or whether he will retire to the hills until he can collect a larger force is uncertain.

General Blanco, with over 500 men, is reported 50 miles south of Rancho Flores, but it is unlikely that he will join Orozco in view of the personal enmity between them.

INCOME TAX HOLDUP IN NEW HAMPSHIRE

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 10.—It was leaked out here that the Senate of New Hampshire is holding up the income tax resolution to learn what action the Senators of the Western States now lining in the United States Senate take on the White Mountain reserve resolution, which comes up at Washington next Wednesday. The income tax resolution was passed by the House of Representatives two weeks ago and was referred to the Judiciary Committee by the Senate. The White Mountain reserve resolution asks that the Government purchase land in the White Mountains for public parks.

MRS. LAURA SCHENK BARRED FROM HOME

WHEELING, W. Va., Feb. 10. Barred from the mansion she formerly occupied and separated from her millionaire husband, whom she was recently charged with trying to poison, Mrs. Laura Fairchild Schenk today moved into three rooms on the second floor of a building one block from her former home, for which she will pay $11 a month. She has been living with her friend, Mrs. John Lasch.

153 FISHERMEN ARE LOST ON ICE FLOE

VIBORG, Finland, Feb. 10.—One hundred and fifty-three fishermen, who were swept to sea on an ice floe, were given up for lost to-day, and the searching vessels returned to port.

Matilda McSeeker in seeking to get Good tenants for rooms—she has nice ones to let—
Employs the one method that never goes wrong.
She uses American "ads" right along.

WIDOW TELLS OF RELATIONS WITH HEATH

Mrs. Sarah Merriam, the wealthy Malden widow of seventy-two years, who is being sued for $50,000 by Mrs. Nathaniel Heath for the alleged alienation of the affections of her husband, this afternoon took the stand at East Cambridge and denied the charge that she had stolen Heath's love.

Mrs. Merriam told the court that she was seventy-two and had lived in Malden many years. She said her husband died many years ago, and that he had been a grocer before he died.

CANNOT HEAR WITHOUT EAR TRUMPET.

She is a small, round-faced, pleasant looking woman with gray hair. She spoke with a pronounced Southern accent in response to the questions put to her by Mr. Choate. She stood immediately behind her and spoke into her ear trumpet.

During her examination Mrs. Merriam showed traces of feeling against both Mrs. Heath and the husband whose love she is said to have stolen from her. She was asked if she could bear anything that said by her accused husband, but replied that she could not.

Previous to her testimony, which had been eagerly awaited by the crowd, Mrs. Heath had been on the stand and been under cross-examination, denying that he loved Mrs. Merriam, that she had obtained him with such gifts, etc., and that he had refused him his home. He admitted that on two occasions he might have used violent language toward her, but only twice in the long period of their married life.

On the contrary, he asserted, his wife continuously worried, tormented, nagged and humiliated him, though he always made the best of it and was in temporary peace.

Denies $100 Gift by Widow.

Under cross-examination by Mrs. Heath's lawyer, Attorney Nason, Heath testified as follows:

Q. Did you ever use violent language to your wife on any other occasion than the time mentioned here? A. I never used violent language to her but once, or possibly twice in my whole life.

The cross examination of Heath was continued from yesterday when the case was resumed before Judge Bell in the Superior Court at East Cambridge. This is the fifth day of the trial.

To-day Heath denied that he ever told his son that Mrs. Merriam had given him $100 as a birthday gift. Mrs. Heath and the son both testified that Heath had told them of the gift. He was then asked if he could form an estimate of his income, but he declared that that was impossible for a man in his calling to estimate.

Attorney Nason then asked him about a pillow that was given to him by Mrs. Merriam on his birthday.

Q. Did you express surprise that the pillow cost no little? A. I was surprised that it cost so little.

Q. Were you surprised that one with whom you had been so intimate should give such a trifling gift as far as value was concerned? A. I never thought of it in that way at all.

Tells of "Spats" With Wife.

Heath then declared that he had been ready to testify at the first trial of the case, but had not been called. He declared that he came to the court house

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FORMER GOVERNOR TUTTLE IS DEAD

PITTSFIELD, N. H., Feb. 10.—Hiram Augustus Tuttle, former Governor of New Hampshire and one of the best known men in Northern New Hampshire, died today from valvular disease of the heart. He had been ill two months.

Former Governor Tuttle was born at Barnstead. He was seventy-four years of age. He worked as a shoemaker and on a farm in his younger days and then went into the lumbering business. He made a fortune in the lumbering business and was also interested in dairying, having dozens of milk ranching in Maine and Vermont. He owned a great deal of property in this town. His wealth is estimated at $500,000.

ARIZONA RATIFIES NEW CONSTITUTION

TUCSON, Ariz., Feb. 10.—By a vote of about three to one the voters of Arizona have ratified the proposed State constitution, including the initiative, referendum and recall.

HONDURAN FINANCIER ON ERRAND TO FRANCE

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 10.—Minister of Finance Paredes of Honduras arrived here today. It is reported that his mission has to do with cost name of money said to have been shipped here by President Davila and placed in New Orleans banks.

THE WEATHER.

Fair and colder to-night; Saturday fair; moderate west winds.

Sun rises 6:48, *sets* 5:09.
Moon sets 5:05 a. m.
High tide 8:27 a. m., 9:12 p. m.

B. & M. BEATEN IN RATES FIGHT

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 10.—The Supreme Court to-day handed down a decision in the case of the State against the Boston & Maine Railroad, which is a victory for the State, and will compel the Boston & Maine to refund to the consumers of freight rates that existed in 1889.

Suit was brought on the ground that the railroad had increased its freight rates by fixed standards to which it was not entitled, brought by the Attorney General until last year. Superior Court Justice Plummer, granted the injunction restraining the railroad from imposing the increased rates. The injunction was withheld from operation, pending action by the Supreme Court. The case was then taken to the Federal Court, where the railroad was fined was passed in 1889 when the consolidation of the several roads in the State of Maine was confirmed. The law said that the rates should never be raised. They never were until 1907. Then general increases were made.

Recently the railroad applied to the Legislature for an act legalizing this schedule of rates and fixing them. A special committee of five is to investigate this plan and Louis D. Brandeis of Boston is counsel for the committee.

PAINTERS' DISTRICT COUNCIL DISSOLVED

The Painters' District Council of Greater Boston, composed of eighteen local unions, has been dissolved, after eight years' existence, by order of the International Brotherhood of Painters. A new district council comprising the four unions in Boston proper will immediately be formed. Three locals outside of Boston and the only followed complaints by Boston men that painters outside worked in Boston when work was dull in other places because wages were higher here and the hours shorter.

AGED WOMAN IS DEAD FROM BURNS

An aged Roxbury woman was burned to death shortly after 10 o'clock today when she started to her home from a defective gas jet. In trying to put out the flames she ate was communicated to her clothing and she died before help could reach her.

The woman is Mrs. Mary A. Roe who several six years old, who lived with her husband on the top floor of the three story brick tenement at No. 39 Vine street, Roxbury.

M'CLARTY IS FREED ON DEATH CHARGE

After deliberating an hour a jury in the Suffolk superior Criminal Court today found Charles L. McClarty, a waiter in the St. James Hotel in the West End, not guilty of the charge of manslaughter in causing the death of Peter Flodin of Winchester on September 27. The prisoner was represented by Attorney John F. McDonald.

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Next Sunday's coupon in the American $35,000 contest,
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BELIEVE GHOULS GOT SCOTT BODY

ERIE, Pa., Feb. 10.—While the police and detectives were working hard today to discover a clew to the identity of the ghouls that robbed the Scott mausoleum in the Erie cemetery, new mystery was thrown about the case by a report that the body taken was not that of Mrs. Anna M. McCallon, as at first reported, but that of the late Congressman William L. Scott.

The charge was made that the family were endeavoring to keep the facts from the public. The main hunt for the ghouls is now being directed in "Black Hand" channels as a result of a conference between detectives and Charles H. Strong, a son-in-law of the late Mr. Scott.

Men who attempted to blackmail the Strong family two years ago in letters of "Black Hand" letters are now in the Western penitentiary, and it is believed that their friends or companions may have been responsible for the grave robbery.

Scott Cleveland's Friend.

Police of cities known to harbor "Black Hand" gangs will be asked to aid in the search for the robbers.

Mr. Scott, who was a wealthy railroad man, was a close personal friend of Grover Cleveland, and during the latter's first term as President was one of the Democratic leaders in the House.

That there was an eyewitness to the removal of the body from its sepulchre in Erie cemetery became known from a story told by Louis Waldinger, a milkman employed by the F. G. Benger Dairy Company.

According to Mr. Waldinger's story, on the morning on January 27, when he passed the cemetery about 4 a.m. a man there paid him he had been watching some people take a body from the cemetery.

Saw Body Carried Away.

He thought the man was drunk, but when he came closer Mr. Waldinger found that he was not and the man told him that the four or five men who were carrying the corpse away had come in a big covered wagon and had taken the body to the "red house."

Mr. Waldinger did not ask any further questions and gave the matter but little thought at the time. Mr. Waldinger says the man who was watching the miscreants at their work told him that the wagon had stood near the cemetery fence for fully one hour before he saw any one appear and then four men came out of the grounds carrying the body.

You see the AMERICAN everywhere—in the homes, clubs, restaurants, hotels, cars and boats.

Itching Skin

Eczema and similar skin diseases rarely cure themselves, but grow worse from week to week until the sufferer is nearly driven mad with intense irritation. Don't waste time taking internal medicines, get to the root. Use Cadum, the new medical compound, and apply it immediately. The itching will stop at once, and a great improvement will be noticed over night. People who have itched and scratched for years find sleep and rest soon after Cadum is applied. Cadum is also for pimples, rash, blotches, ulcers, eruptions, scaly skin, chafing, piles, etc.

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MOTHER CUTS OFF GAMMONS

For the second time in the short period of two years Mrs. Nelson Gammons is confronted with the annulment of her marriage; this time due to the nineteen-year old Harvard student with whom she eloped, the other ending with Lloyd Hamilton, son of New York's Mayor and a friend of Gammons. It is the young woman's third venture at the age of twenty-two.

In each of the two latest matches an irate parent has stepped in to dissolve the marriage ceremony. Mr. Gammons, the opposed of his son's wife and had the contract annulled on a technicality. In this case Mrs. George G. Gammons, who sped all the way from Portland, Ore., to stop the love affair before it had time to get a chance to separate the couple legally because he, being under age, gave his age as twenty-two.

Mrs. Gammons, who hurried to New York on hearing of the elopement, is quoted in dispatches from that metropolis today as declaring that she had cut off from her son his allowance from his father's large estate, and that she would never give him a penny till he deserted his bride. The couple are now in Boston.

Mother Gives Ultimatum.

Mrs. Gammons retained Gilbert M. Montague, and he, in company with a Boston attorney, examined the documents in the License Bureau. It is understood that the boy had his bride left for Boston on the midnight train after the ceremony, but at the time his mother was starting for New York, summoned by the telegram of Gilbert H. Gammons, the boy's uncle, who lives in Brooklyn.

"Of course, my son will come back to me," Mrs. Gammons said. She was dressed all in black, for it is not long since the death of her husband, George Gordon Gammons, a lawyer of Portland.

Mrs. Gammons is a woman of grace and dignity, and it was plain that her son's marriage had wounded her deeply.

"Of course, he will come back to me," she replied, "for, of course, she will leave him. She married him to get money out of me, and when she finds that I will not allow her so much as a single penny she will leave him."

Will Take Him Back—Alone.

"And you will allow him to come back to you if he comes alone?" she was asked. "His uncle predicted that even a separation would not relieve him in favor in your eyes, and that before he could hope for help from you he would have to go to work and redeem himself by some sort of accomplishment."

"Whenever he leaves this woman he has married," she said, "she will be welcome and I will send him back to school and provide for him as I always have. He knows that, for I told him so years ago. But I also warned him that if he married her he could expect nothing from me."

A Want Advt. is often the road to fortune.

NEW IDEA IN VALENTINES

By THE CONTEST EDITOR.

The Contest Editor was studying the calendar last night, just to see if Father Time's speedometer as it were. And believe me, that old gentleman can go some.

Why, it won't be a great while before June 15 will be here and the AMERICAN'S great $35,000 Prize Contest will be over and some lucky contestant will be the winner of that $8,000 home and two lots and 999 other people will be winners of nice 999 other prizes.

But much before June 15, will come February 14, which is the day when Cupid tries to pile up more subscriptions and get more votes for the fifty-three special February prizes. Only eighteen days left!

But there was another and still earlier date which caught the eye of the Contest Editor. February 14—St. Valentine's Day. Say, Valentine, oh, Valentine! "Rose is red, the violet blue, sugar is sweet, and so are you." Ever hear of those? Great goods, those valentines—well, rather.

Best Valentine of All.

The trouble with this valentine guy, however, is that he's old stuff. Say, you, I'd like to send a valentine if I could dig up anything new.

Sat, you bet the Contest Editor right where he lives. He's got an idea—an honest-to-goodness new idea. Send a SUBSCRIPTION VALENTINE.

Yes, that's a subscription valentine. If you have a friend who is a candidate in the AMERICAN'S great $35,000 Prize Contest, subscribe to the Sunday AMERICAN for six months, or for a year, or better still, for two years or three years. Order the votes you get with the subscription to be credited to your candidate friend, and she, she will like that valentine, never fear. It will be the best ever. It will boost the candidate's voting strength not only in the $35,000 Prize Contest, but also, if you send in the subscription early enough, in the special February Contest for fifty-three prizes.

"Huh!" you say, "that's a fine idea. I'm a candidate myself. I'd look grand, wouldn't I, piling up votes for a rival candidate. Nix on that kind of a valentine."

Now "for the love of Mike," as Mutt says, "no trouble." Don't jump out of the harness. There's more ways than one of sending that SUBSCRIPTION VALENTINE plan.

If you are a candidate yourself, just send your prospective valentines telling them that NOW IS THE TIME TO SUBSCRIBE IN YOUR BEHALF.

"There, there, that'll do. Too much applause is enough. You catch the Contest Editor's 'idee' both ways now don't you? You're with him, aren't you? Good and coming.

That Cash Guarantee.

Candidates and subscribers keep asking about that cash guarantee which is required with each subscription order. They wish to know how the guarantee is put into effect. Remember, the AMERICAN advises the guarantee, not the newsdealer. The subscriber does not have to bother about it. The AMERICAN looks after that. The thing the subscriber has to do, after sending in the subscription blank, properly filled out and accompanied by the cash guarantee, is to wait till he receives back the two forms which are mailed to him. Take these two forms to the nearest newsdealer. He will keep one. It is his order to deliver the paper to the subscriber. The other is a postal card to be filled out and returned to the Contest Department.

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Remember that all material mailed to the Contest Department MUST be addressed to AMERICAN Contest Editor, P. O. Box 2227, Boston. Do not mail anything to the Devonshire street office. That is for subscriptions, coupons, inquiries, etc. BRING GIFT IN PERSON.

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Any one in doubt as to the rules of the Contest can find them in the Sunday AMERICAN.

Above all—never lose sight of the tremendous opportunities offered in this $35,000 prize contest and in the Special February contest.

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Are you longing for an automobile? How about that Velie car, for instance, which is the first district prize for District No. 27.

And 998 other prizes, too, 1,000 in all.

TO-DAY'S CABLE NEWS

Up to Midnight London Time

New Substitute for Radium Discovered.

BERLIN—The newspapers announce the end of the radium famine. They say that Professor Otto Hahn of Berlin University has obtained an effective substitute and that in a few months the Academy of Science will be possessor of 250 milligrams, which it will lend to investigators. The new radioactive matter is a by-product of the manufacture of thorium gas mantles, and it has been named by its discoverer mesothorium.

Alfonso Praises Canalejas.

MADRID—On the first anniversary of the accession to office of the Canalejas regime a special council of the Ministry was held at the palace, at which Kg. Alfonso was present. Premier Canalejas made a long expedition of the work he had accomplished and explained what remains to be done in carrying out his program. The King praised him for the achievements of the Ministry.

Countess Mackin to Wed Again.

PARIS—The Countess Spottiswood Mackin is reported to be about to add another title to the one she received from the Vatican. It is said she is engaged to marry a society man known as the Marquis de Boerio. The betrothal has not yet been formally announced. De Gerio is a Canadian by birth.

Dictatorship for Paraguay.

BUENOS AYRES—Reports from Asuncion, Paraguay, say that President Ayala has decided to dissolve the Legislature and proclaim a dictature because Congress has declined to obey his orders, and is asking for an accounting of national funds. The most prominent public men will leave the country, it is reported.

Statehood for Alsace-Lorraine.

BERLIN—The Committee of the Reichstag has adopted an amendment to the constitution proposed for Alsace-Lorraine which, if enacted into law, will permit that territory to enter the empire a full-fledged federal State on the same footing as the other members.

Synthetic Ammonia Coming.

BERLIN—Prof. Haber's new process for utilizing atmospheric nitrogen for the production of ammonia is reported to be so successful that synthetic ammonia is about to be placed on the market.

Lipton's Assailant Sentenced.

LNDON—Frederick Weldon, who threatened to kill Sir Thomas Lipton with a razor unless he gave him a sum of money, was to-day sentenced to pay a fine of $25 or go to jail for a month.

Admiral Beresford Retires.

LONDON—Admiral Lord Charles Beresford retired from active service to-day having reached the age limit.

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There will be a lot of Suits on Sale Saturday that were made to sell for 12.98 (Cheviots),

At 4.85

There will be a lot of Tailored Suits on Sale Saturday, made to sell for 16.48 (Cheviots),

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We can't describe all the styles here—but there is a style to suit practically everybody. Come and see the lot—if you are not convinced of their value, we will thank you for telling us so.

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Wines Cal. Port or Sherry. Full Qt. 20c
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Rum NEW ENGLAND PURE. FULL Qt. 49c
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That means money saved to all those who take advantage of this wonderful offer in our Clothing Department. Friday and Saturday we will place on sale 462 Suits and Overcoats, a leading New York manufacturer's surplus stock, that were made to sell for $7.50 and $10.00. Many suits are the new Spring fashions, in wool cassimeres of brown and gray, or black thibets and blue serges. The Overcoats are button to the neck or velvet collar styles, all regular sizes in the lot. Every suit bears our guarantee to wear. Choice this sale $5.00

Saturday Is Children's Day Here

Teach the Children Economy and Trade at a Cash Store

Wonderful Bargains in Children's Coats and Dresses

As Lots Are Limited We Regret We Cannot Guarantee Mail Orders.

Coats Half Price

Children's Coats in plain and fancy cheviots, made in the latest styles, some in full box backs, and some trimmed with velvet on collar and cuffs, sizes 2 to 14 years 1.98

Children's Rompers, in pink and blue checked gingham, sizes 2 to 6 years, a great bargain at... 29c

Dresses Half Price

Children's Gingham and Galatea Cloth Dresses, in large plaids and stripes, made with full plaited skirts and some fancy trimmed with hamburg and fancy pearl buttons, sizes 6 to 14 yrs 98c

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The Season's Greatest Sale

BOYS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS AT $1.98

Extraordinary values have always been our watchword, and we feel that we have even surpassed ourselves in value giving in this wonderful assortment. You will find blue serges and fancy mixture Knicker Suits, sizes 7 to 17, Russian, Blouse and Sailor Suits, sizes 3 to 10, fur and astrachan trimmed Overcoats, Russian Overcoats and Reefers, for Saturday at

Boys' Clothing Department Third Floor

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Boys' $1.25 Knickers 79c

Boys' Knickers, in corduroy, serge lined or wool mixtures, sizes 9 to 17, made with side buckle, mannish style, reinforced with taped seams, a $1.25 value, special for Saturday at 79c

Boys' $4.00 Suits $2.98

Boys' Blue Serge Knicker Suits, all wool, pants lined and seams taped, sizes 9 to 18, every suit guaranteed to wear as good as any $4.00 suit, for Saturday, special at 2.98

Special Saturday Bargains for Children

Boys' Heavy Fleece Lined Jaeger Shirts and Drawers—Sizes 24 to 28, regular 35c quality. Saturday's price, each..... 19c

Boys' Sweaters—Heavy pure worsted, plain oxford, gray and crimson trimmed, with or without pockets; $3.00 value 1.98

Boys' Pajamas—Heavy fancy domet flannel, military cut; $1.00 value at. 79c

Misses' Jersey Ribbed Fleece Lined Vests—Mill seconds of our 29c quality. Saturday's price 15c each..... 15c

Boys' Night Shirts—Heavy fancy domet flannel, full sizes; 50c val., each 35c

Boys' and Girls' 25c Hosiery—Boys' heavy 1x1 ribbed and girls' silk Lisle, double knees, heels and toes, a remarkable stocking at 15c per pair..... 15c

Boys' Black Cotton Hosiery—2x1 and 1x1 ribbed, with three thread knees, heels and toes; also Misses' Fine Ribbed Black Cotton Hosiery, nothing better for hard wear, at 12½c per pair..... 12½c

A Bargain in Children's Gloves

Our regular Saturday Glove Special for this week will be Children's Imported 1-Clasp Cape and 1-Clasp P. K., in all the popular tan shades. Our regular $1.00 gloves for 85c 85c

Great Values in Footwear for School Wear

Our "Beacon" Shoes for Boys, in all styles and leathers; all money savers, at 1.25 to 2.50

Week-End Sale of Boys' "Walton" and "Protection" Shoes. Sizes 9 to 13½, at..... 98c

Sizes 1 to 7, at..... 1.39

Great Clearance Sale of Boots for Children and Misses—3000 pairs on special counters, marked down 1-3. In all leathers. Special bargains in storm shoes. Prices from 89c to 1.79

Storm Shoes for Boys—Closing out our entire stock at less than factory prices. In two lots, at 1.95 And 2.49

Special Sale of "Heywood" Shoes, for high school and college men, $4.00 and $5.00 kinds, cut to 2.97

Regular Stock of Same Make at 3.49 and 3.98

1000 Pairs of Women's Boots—A factory job, in 20 styles, the bargain of the season. Values $2.90 to $3.00. To close at..... 1.49

Our "Columbia" Boots, for school girls or women, are always reliable. A special lot in patent leather, with cloth tops, just received. Value $3 and $3.50. Standard price..... 2.28

Clearance Sale of Boys' and Girls' Sleds

Girls' Sleds—34 inches, very strongly made of selected hardwood, nicely varnished and painted; 3-post standard and metal braces. Regular $1.00 and $1.25 sleds. 63c

50c SLEDS for 39c and many other equally good values

Folding Sleds—Flexible Flyer pattern, 5 feet long. Reg. price $4 each, at 1.98

Boys' Sleds—40 inches long, made of selected hardwood, very highly polished and handsomely painted, with round spring steel runners. Reg. price $1.50, for.. 87c

And Remember We Give Double Legal Stamps Forenoons

VAIN HUNT FOR MISS WHITTIER

A thorough search of hospitals in Worcester, Fitchburg, Leominster and Clinton by representatives of the AMERICAN failed to verify the report that Florence Eva Whittier, the missing Ipswich girl, had sought employment as a nurse in any of these institutions. Neither did a search in Spencer, where the girl was reported as having been seen within a week result in any trace of her whereabouts being discovered.

To-day the search has narrowed down to Worcester and Spencer, following belief of many persons in those places that Miss Whittier is in one of the two.

The AMERICAN representatives visited five hospitals in Worcester County, including the State institution, the Burbank Hospital in Fitchburg, the Cowee Hospital in Leominster and the City Hospital in Clinton. Officials of all these institutions failed to identify the photograph of the missing girl shown as that of any young woman who has sought employment with them recently as a nurse.

Trolley Clew Fails.

Close questioning of the police in these places also failed to reveal any trace of the girl who disappeared so mysteriously in this city on December 13.

In Spencer the AMERICAN representatives talked with Conductor J. Bush and Motorman A. Crossman of the Clinton & Lancaster electric car in which it was reported Miss Whittier traveled from Worcester to Spencer in the afternoon of February 3. Neither man was able to remember that any girl answering the description of Miss Whittier was on their car on that afternoon, although they admitted she might have been.

Many people in Spencer express the belief that the missing girl is in hiding in that town but are unable to give any definite reason for that belief except that they have heard that a girl, answering her published description has been seen about the town at various times within the last fortnight.

To-day the search is being kept up in both Spencer and Worcester where the girl was said to have been seen in a drug store within a few days.

Many Send Clews.

Wide interest in the discovery of the missing girl is shown by the number of letters sent to the AMERICAN from cities and towns in Massachusetts where persons believe they have seen girls who answer to the description of Miss Whittier.

Latest Photograph of Missing Whittier Girl

This picture of Florence Whittier, showing her at her home in Ipswich, is considered an exceptionally good one of her and should assist in her identification.

FLORENCE WHITTIER

Kenneth Orcutt of No. 15 Clinton street, Worcester, is certain that a girl who engaged a room in the house where he lodges a couple of days ago was Miss Whittier. He talked with her and she appeared to be extremely nervous. In essential details he is certain she answered the description of the Ipswich girl.

The proprietor of a medical establishment in the Burnside building in Worcester believes the young woman who called on him last Monday and asked for a situation as an assistant was Miss Whittier.

A Fall River man writes that he has on several occasions recently seen a girl in that city who answers fully the published descriptions of the missing girl.

RENO DIVORCE LYNN MYSTERY

Principals in a Lynn divorce case, the papers in which have been filed in Reno, Nev., are making an attempt to hide their identity from the public by having only the initials of their given names on the papers instead of the full names as is customary. The case is listed as T. W. Holdsworth against M. T. Holdsworth and no street addresses. The Holdsworths were married in Lynn on January 10, 1895, and separated December 20, 1908, after the couple had lived together for thirteen years.

"DEARIE" TALK TO COST MORE

BROCKTON, Feb. 10.—Brockton telephone subscribers must give up their "dearie" talk over the telephones of their rates will be advanced, says Manager C. C. Stanford. The manager says the lines are so tied up mornings with women talking about the latest fashions and the discussions as to best methods of housekeeping and a hundred and one other things that the expenses of the company have jumped to such an extent that higher rates will be necessary.

Some of the business men say they will appreciate the increase, as it will give them a chance at some of the party lines, many of which are held up for hours at a time.

Brockton telephone lines are used for all kinds of conversation. The exhibition of gowns and headgear at Horticultural Hall, Boston, has the Brockton women going.

To-day there were so many lines tied up by women discussing the pantaloon skirt and the peculiar gown that Manager Stanford called for help and took down some estimates of the number of lines put out of commission by the dress-making symposiums.

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GIRL LEFT HOME FOR PICTURES

Because Nellie Gorman, ten years old and living at No. 4 Harmony place, East Boston, loved picture shows, and could not deny herself the pleasure of taking a few of them in yesterday afternoon, she is now at the East Dedham street police station waiting for her parents to come after and take her home.

The little girl was sent out to the store by her mother. She was given some change to pay for the rations to be bought. But Nellie had the lure of the moving picture show in her, and with a last backward glance she ran swiftly to the ferry and crossed to the places where picture shows may be seen.

About 1.30 p. m. to-day a little bundle of humanity was found at the corner of Washington and Dover streets by Patrolman Chalmers. The bundle of humanity was Nellie, and she was cold and hungry, but she did not dare to go home for she had spent all of the change given her by her mother. She was taken to the East Dedham street station. She told the officer at the desk in the station that she would not go to any more picture shows, and that she would be a very good little girl in the future.

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Men's & Young Men's Clothing

If the statement didn't sound too ridiculous, we would say, ALMOST GIVEN AWAY—yet it's true. Of course we haven't every size for every kind, this merchandise being broken lots and assortments from our regular department upstairs, but nevertheless what we have got will be practically given away.

Men's and Young Men's $5.00 and $7.00 Coats and Vests 98c

Also a few odd coats without the vests. Single-breasted rutaway coats, materials black cheviot and mixtures, broken sizes.

Young Men's $10.00 Overcoats

Spring or Winter Overcoats, tan color or mixtures, well lined, good style coats, broken sizes 1.98

Men's and Young Men's $10.00 and $12.00 Suits 2.98

Black Cheviots and mixtures, single or double-breasted, broken sizes.

75c Trousers . . . 39c

Boys' knickerbocker style in blue cheviots only, cut full and made as good as more expensive ones; sizes 5 to 16 years.

$2.50 Suits . . . 1.59

Boys' Double-Breasted Knickerbocker Suits, some with two pairs of trousers, gray, blue or green mixtures, good quality lining; sizes 3 to 16.

25c to 50c Caps . 10c

Boys' Skull Skating Caps, also a large assortment of other style Caps in a large assortment of colors.

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Of the Entire Stock of Men's Suits and Overcoats FROM DIETZ BROTHERS, NEW YORK,

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$12.00 and $15.00 Suits and Overcoats, all stylish, thoroughly well made and perfect fitting, at 7.45

Also, $15.00, $18.00 and $20.00 Suits and Overcoats for this sale marked to 9.75

OUR ANNUAL TROUSER SALE

Now in progress with the usual slashing of prices.

1.95 For $3.00 Worsted Trousers
2.95 For $4.00 Dress Trousers
2.45 For $3.50 Men's Fine Trousers
3.95 For $5.00 High-Grade Trousers

VEST SPECIAL

We offer extraordinary values in fancy vests for fall dress and street wear. For example $4.00, $5.00 and $6.00 Vests $1.95

SPECIAL FOR BOYS

Knickerbocker Suits, ages 10 to 17 years. All wool Scotch cheviots and tweeds; new shades, brown, gray and olive tones—tailored in the finest manner; coats cut in very mannish shapes. Pants extra full size, lined throughout. Greatest value of the season; every suit worth $10 to $12. Special at $6.50

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CRITIC DERIDES BOSTON'S ART

Boston in general and its boasted Museum of Fine Arts in particular are not much good, according to Frederic Antoine Stolz of the Royal Academy of Berlin, an art critic of note. She says Boston's "boasted conservatism is a mixture of narrowness and prudishness which may best be called seldishness."

Our Art Museum has bought practically nothing new in twenty years, declares the Fraulein. She said, in course of an art lecture in Tremont Hall:

"There is less interest in art here than in any large city in the country. Boston is suffering from conservative fright. When it was suggested that the Boston Museum of Fine Arts ask for aid from the city, as is furnished other metropolitan art museums, the reply was made that the museum did not care for it, because it did not wish to become involved in political strife.

"It is only the mistaken conservatism or fastidiousness that keeps them from waking up and realizing that their Art Museum can be made one of the greatest sources of education and culture instead of a mere building in which pretty pictures and statues are placed to be looked at casually on Sundays or holidays, when there is little else to do.

"The Boston Art Museum started out to be one of the finest in the United States, but a lack of public interest in the extent of contributing has allowed it to fall far behind Chicago and New York.

"Boston seems to be asleep, while the smaller and less important cities are ahead of it in the matters of real culture. As an example of narrowness, the Flick collection of paintings when shown here were exhibited in one small room, where it was impossible for those who wished to see them to do so properly, when two or three rooms in that great building ought to have been used."

KILLED BY A CAR.

Warren N. Phinney, Jr., seventeen, of No. 147 Cambridge street, Allston, while running across the street in front of his home was killed by a car.

WOULD LIE AWAKE ALL NIGHT WITH ITCHING ECZEMA

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"A number of physicians were called, but it seemed beyond their medical power and knowledge to cure me. Having tried numerous treatments without deriving any benefit from them, I had given myself up to the misery of my dreadful malady, and I thought I would take the Cuticura treatment as a last resort. Words cannot express my gratitude to the one who created The Cuticura Miracles, as I have named them, for I truly believe there was such a miracle as the Cuticura Remedies sent to the suffering world, and now I feel as if I never suffered from even a pimple. My disease was routed by Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and I shall never cease praising the wonderful merits they contain. I will never be without them, in fact, I am almost daily afraid that disease will attack me so long as I have Cuticura Remedies in the house. I only hope that this letter will give other sufferers an idea of how I suffered, and also hope that they will profit from the Cuticura Life Saving Station." (Signed) C. Louis Green, 9:0 Chestnut st., Camden, N. J., Nov. 16, 1910.

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ANNIE MULLEN, GIRL WHO SUES MAN FOR $20,000

ANNIE MULLEN ASKS $20,000

Fearing that a so-called marriage ceremony between herself and Howard H. Fisher, a master teamster of this city, was a fraud, Miss Annie Mullen has brought a suit against the man for $20,000, alleging breach of promise.

Miss Mullen is an attractive girl of twenty-four. She went to live in the Fisher family when she was fourteen. When Mrs. Fisher died six years ago the girl alleges that she and Fisher were married — at least, she thought so until lately.

Trouble in the Fisher home a few weeks ago brought the man into the Municipal Court, where he was fined $15 on a charge of assault and battery. Facts were brought out at this time, it is said, that opened the young woman's eyes to the probability that she was not the wife of Fisher, as she had supposed. The fifth suit, which has just been filed, followed.

MALDEN GIRL BRIDE TO FRIENDS' SURPRISE

Friends of Miss Helen D. Kennedy, daughter of James M. Kennedy of No. 17 Columbia street, Malden, were greatly surprised today to learn of her marriage on June 19 to Harry W. Hart, station agent of the Cliftondale station of the Boston & Maine Railroad. The couple were married at Nashua, N. H., by the Rev. W. H. Eastman, pastor of the Union Methodist Church of that place. The couple will reside at No. 42 Essex street, Cliftondale.

You see the AMERICAN everywhere—in the homes, clubs, restaurants, hotels, cars and boats.

HEATH DEFENDS WIDOW IN SUIT

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each day and name said Mrs. Merriam's lawyer that he was ready to go on the witness stand and tell his story. He seemed that he talked at length with a layman during that trial.

Mr. Nason then continued:

Q—Tell us about the time that you spoke of when you had put your arms to your wife. A—I was pleading with her and trying to get her to change her tactics. I wanted her to forgive and was willing to do right myself if she would do right.

Q—Then when you said that you were willing to do right, I suppose that you meant that you had been doing wrong, for was willing to do better? A—No, I had not been doing wrong.

Q—How long had the tactics that you spoke of been going on, on your wife's part? A—For ten or fifteen years. She had been forbidding, tormenting, teasing and persecuting me. I wanted her to quit it. I told her I would be all right if she would. You were before that we had had a bad time of it on account of her tactics. I had to patch things up. She would never come to me and say she was in the wrong.

Q—Then the wrong was always on her side? A—No, I won't say that.

After a few minutes' conversation with Mrs. Heath, Attorney Nason resumed.

Q—In June, 1908, did you receive a letter from your wife? A—I might have.

Q—Does that mean that you did? A—I can't remember.

Reads Letter from Wife.

Q—Let's see if the reading of this letter refreshes your recollection.

June 15, 1908.

My Dear Husband—I want to say that the reason I hung up the receiver so quickly was not that I was out of patience at the agony to my intuition to come home to support. It was quite the opposite in sympathy. I assure you I was afraid. But you would come to see for yourself and how I felt for none of us are without fear, although it may appear different outside. I would have been happy indeed to see you this morning. I was pleased to see you last night. Having your home to support was a pleasure. I will not soon forget it, for you will only come home to see me no one will be so happy as your wife.

The cross-examination of Heath ended here.

Met When Sixteen Years Old.

Mrs. Ellen J. Horace of Malden testified. She said she had known Mrs. Merriam since she was a girl and visited her often when the Heaths were present. "I never saw anything while there but what was gentle and genial," said the witness. "She was kind and considerate, as she was to all of her social circle and friends."

Under cross-examination she was asked how old she was when she met Mrs. Merriam. She replied: "I was a young girl, as I told you."

"What do you mean by a young girl?" asked Mr. Nason. "Some women call themselves girls when they are sixty."

"Well, I mean a young girl," said Mrs. Horace. "What do you call a young girl?"

"Well, I suppose about sixteen," said Mr. Nason. "That is when they are most attractive, I believe. Was that the age you were when you met Mrs. Merriam?"

The witness replied yes.

WOMAN DYING AT THE AGE OF 136

FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 10.—At the age of 136 and undoubtedly the oldest white woman in the world, Mrs. Lana Kilcrease is dying at the home of her daughter, a centenarian. She saw George Washington.

Prices of Household Necessities Encouraging

Reported from C. D. Cobb & Bros. the Sweet Naval Orange is selling 2 for 25c. Fresh Creamery Butter, 26c lb.; 3 lbs., $1.25. Eggs, Blood Meat, 30c per dozen. Fresh Eggs, Pound and Odd Size, 30c. Especially below the cost of the low fat grades. Some of which being that do not sell lumps. Butter send them our order. Cor. Hanover and Union Sts., directly opposite Friend subway station.

BLIND POETESS 90 YEARS OLD

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—With a healthful color on her face, her gray hair neatly arranged, clad in black silk and wearing an exquisitely designed white apron, Miss Alice A. Holmes, blind poetess, author of "Poems by Alice Holmes," "Arcadian Leaves," "Stray Leaves" and "Lest We Forget," celebrated at her home, No. 223 Warren street, Jersey City, the ninetieth anniversary of her birth.

24 LOST WITH RUSSIAN SHIP

PERTH, West Australia, Feb. 10.—The Russian bark Glenbank has been wrecked off Cossack, and twenty-four of her crew drowned. Only one sailor was saved. Word of the disaster reached here to-day. The Glenbank, laden with copper ore, was bound up the coast when driven upon a reef for forty-eight hours. The Glenbank was a vessel of 1,359 tons, built at Glasgow in 1883 and hailed from the Finnish port of Nistagi.

MADE MILLION; REFUSED MORE

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—John Leahy, seventy years old, who made more than $1,000,000 although he could neither read nor write, is dead. Mr. Leahy bought a small farm in New Lots and later sold it at a profit of $300,000. Then he bought land adjoining Deepdale, the estate of William K. Vanderbilt, Jr. Overtures were made by Mr. Vanderbilt to induce Leahy to sell, but he declined.

NINE KILLED IN MINE BLAST

TRINIDAD, Colo., Feb. 10.—Nine men are known to be dead and three more are missing as the result of an explosion which entombed fourteen men of the night shift in the Cokedale mine of the Carbon & Coke Company, eight miles from here last night.

A portion of the interior of the mine was destroyed. A. E. Sutton, in charge of the rescue work, was overcome with fumes and may die. Four bodies were taken out to-day and five more are in the mine. Two were rescued alive and three are unaccounted for.

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Second Floor

For the week-end shopper. The inclement weather the early part of the week still finds us with a few

Winter Coats, Dresses and Suits

That must take their departure at once. There are not many of the items mentioned below, so we advise prompt action. Remember—All sales are final.

Suits

Lot 1—Consists of **Plainly Tailored, also Braid-Trimmed Suits,** made of two-toned serges, mixtures and cheviots; coat is lined with satin, and the values range up to and including $25.00. You can take your choice at, each..... **$9.75**

Lot 2—**Suits in Broadcloths, Fancy Mixtures, Cheviots,** all colors, and comprising values ranging up to $29.75. Can you omeeive of any greater offering at..... **$12.50**

Lot 3—**Fancy and Tailored Suits,** braid and velvet trimmed, sailor collar, made in fancy boucle, mixtures, also cheviots; colors gray, brown, black and blue; values up to $39.75. Now marked for this unusual sale at..... **$19.50**

Dresses

Women's and Misses' Cloth and Serge Dresses, some plainly tailored, others lace yoke and trimmed with bands of taffeta; values up to $19.50. Note the tremendous reduction **$5.00**

Misses' Serge Dresses, trimmed with fancy braid, with lace yokes, all colors..... **$10.00**

Women's and Misses' Messaline Dresses, some accordion plaited, others trimmed with lace and embroidery. All the new shades and styles will be found among this collection, and you will find values ranging up to $29.75 that you can buy at..... **$10.00**

Coats

Women's and Misses' Coats—Values in this lot range up to and including $19.75. Note the clearance price, only..... **$8.75**

Women's Coats—In fancy mixtures, broadcloths, serges and kerseys, lined with guaranteed satin; values to and including $29.75. You will never equal them at.... **$12.50**

Full Length Coats—In all the latest cloths, some plainly tailored and others braid trimmed. Values up to $39.75 in this lot, but all marked at..... **$19.50**

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OUR ANNUAL PETTICOAT SALE

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Now in Progress Offers Remarkable Values

Have you taken advantage of this unusual opportunity? The stormy weather may have prevented your coming the early part of the week—if so, let us remind you that we have made large purchases for this sale, as we wish all our customers to benefit, and save money through its extraordinary offerings.

WE CAN STILL SUPPLY YOUR WANTS ON THESE ITEMS

PETTICOATS In Colonial Taffeta, with tucked ruffle, regular $1.00 values, each..... **65c**

PETTICOATS In Sateen and fine quality Colonial Taffeta, in a variety of styles, $1.50 and $2.00 values, now marked at, each..... **95c**

PETTICOATS In Morrin Taffeta and and fine quality Sateen, in black and colors, $2.00 and $2.50 values. Sale price..... **$1.45**

PETTICOATS Made in a fine quality of Taffeta Silk, in black and colors, special value, at each **$2.95**

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GREAT FEBRUARY REDUCTION SALE

BLACK RUSSIAN PONY COATS

Women's 52-inch, $45.00 values, now	$28.00
Women's 52-inch, $75.00 values, now	40.00
Women's 52-inch, $80.00 values, now	45.00
Women's 52-inch, $100.00 values, now	55.00
Women's 52-inch, $110.00 values, now	60.00
Women's 52-inch, $115.00 values, now	65.00
Women's 52-inch, $150.00 values, now	80.00
Women's 52-inch, $175.00 values, now	95.00

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PLAIN MINK SHAWLS, $45.00 values, now	$27.50
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EXTRA LARGE, PLAIN MINK SHAWLS, $120.00 values, now	85.00
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HANDSOME MINK MUFFS

4-STRIPE PILLOW MUFFS, $55.00 values, now	$30.00
7-STRIPE PILLOW MUFFS, $80.00 values, now	48.00
5-STRIPE MINK PILLOW MUFFS, $85.00 values, now	50.00
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1 Only—HUDSON BAY SABLE SET, SCARF AND MUFF, $350.00 value, now marked at, set..... **$275.00**

NOTE—Storage free of charge on all Furs bought prior to March 1st.

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PEABODY DIES, FIANCEE NEAR

Edyth Deacon at Bedside of Boston Clubman as He Passed Away.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 10.—George Lee Peabody, banker and member of the distinguished Boston family, is dead in Johns Hopkins Hospital after a third operation for the removal of a growth from the brain, and his fiancee, Miss Edyth Deacon, one of the beautiful and unfortunate Deacon sisters, known on both continents as "The Three Graces," is grief-stricken. She was at the bedside when he passed away.

For weeks Miss Deacon practically lived at the bedside of her prospective husband so far as the physicians would permit. Finally the strain of nursing and anxiety became so great that she was on the point of collapse and Mr. Peabody's medical advisers practically forced her to leave the hospital and go to Washington, where she was the guest of Mrs. George von L. Meyer, wife of the Secretary of the Navy, but daily she came to this city and spent as much time as possible at Peabody's bedside.

Fate Like Sisters.

The death of Mr. Peabody adds another new misfortune to the many that have befallen the three Deacon sisters. It had been the hope of all that Edyth would escape the strange fatality in love that seems to pursue the family. Her sister, Dorothea, now the Princess Radziwill of Posen, is leading an unhappy life in Rome, denied recognition by her husband's family and her other sister, Gladys, who once acted an infatuation in the heart of the then Prince of Germany, is said to be in love with a noted English nobleman whom she cannot marry. But the exponent of Edyth to George Lee Peabody seemed to be the most hopeful as well as the most reasonable of the romances, and until last Fall, when Mr. Peabody suffered the accident that affected his brain, a happy future appeared before them.

The wedding had been set for last September 15, when Mr. Peabody was taken to Newport, after playing a game of tennis with his fiancee under a glaring sun. He was taken to Boston on a special train. Miss Deacon went with him. It was assumed that the wedding would be postponed until November. Later this date was changed to January 15, but Mr. Peabody grew steadily worse, and three weeks ago he was brought to Johns Hopkins Hospital.

Under Three Operations.

Dr. Harvey Cushing at once performed an operation for the removal of the growth which was discovered on the right side of the brain. Peabody began to improve, but on January 24 another operation was performed for the removal of a similar growth on the left side.

Last Thursday morning the third operation was decided on and from the effects of this the patient never rallied. Word was sent to Washington yesterday that he was very low, and Miss Peabody hastened to this city. The members of his family at his bedside when the end came were Mrs. John Lawrence, of Salem, Mass., and his brother, General Francis Peabody, Jr., of Boston.

Mr. Peabody was the son of the late S. Endicott Peabody, and it was his maternal grandfather who established the banking firm of Lee, Higginson & Co. He was graduated from Harvard with the class of 1886.

October 5, 1897, Peabody filed a suit for divorce from his wife, Elizabeth Crowninshield Peabody, on the grounds of desertion. They were married June 4, 1891. She left him in the Fall of 1894. The decree was granted December 2, 1897.

The death of Peabody recalls that last Summer Miss Deacon and Peabody were out riding and came to a gipsy camp. She suggested they have their fortunes told and the hand of the old woman was crossed with silver. She told them they were in love but would never marry. Both laughed at the prophecy.

The recent history of the Deacon family has been tragic. Grace, the eldest of the Deacon sisters, was the object of the German Crown Prince's affections, it was reported. It was also said they were engaged, but the demands of the German throne for a morganatic marriage only voided the romance.

Miss Edith Deacon.

Gypsy Prophecy That Couple Would Never Wed Is Fulfilled by Death.

Killing of Abeille.

M. Abeille, a rich Parisian, was killed in Paris by Edward Parker Deacon, a Boston millionaire and society man, some years ago. He was the father of the beautiful girls. His wife was Florence Baldwin. As Abeille had been found by Deacon in his wife's room under compromising circumstances, he was simply hailed and suffered a short imprisonment. Mrs. Deacon, after the divorce that followed, took her maiden name and moved to Rome. Later Deacon lost his mind and died.

The family of Prince Radziwill never recovered the surprise of the Prince by Dorothea Deacon. A fourth Deacon girl, Janet, died in youth.

SECRECY PLEA IN POISON CASE

CUMBERLAND, MD., Feb. 10.—One of the greatest sensations that has yet developed in the wedding eve poison tragedy that resulted in the death of Charles E. Twigg and Grace Elsser came today in the presence of Dr. Thomas W. Koon, coroner, of police, Mrs. Jane Crummet, who lived in the room directly over that in which the two bodies were found, declared that immediately after the tragedy she had heard Mrs. Elsser, the mother of the dead girl, exclaim:

"My God, this is terrible! Nobody must be told!"

Mrs. Crummet also declared that she had passed by the door of the room on her way to get some wine and that the door was partly open. Within she noticed the figure of a man lying on the right side of the sofa, with his head leaning to the right. She further declared that at that time everything was absolutely quiet, that there was no noise whatever.

Tails is a flat contradiction of the statements made by the Elssers since the tragedy and at the inquest. They have always said that there was the utmost confusion and loud screaming from the moment of the discovery of the bodies.

Mrs. Crummet declared she was certain that she did not hear Miss Elsser pour down the stairs, as the girl swore she did in view of the fact that Grace Elsser's room, in which May has claimed she was lying a body at the time of the death of her sister and her fiance, is separated from Mrs. Crummet's apartment only by a thin wooden door, this statement was regarded as important.

The most astounding part of Mr. Crummet's story lies in the fact that she was never interviewed by the State's Attorney or his detectives, nor by any other official of the county until within the past few days, twenty-four hours, when attention was called to her by reporters.

EARLE BRINGS NEW 'SOULMATE'

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Feb. 10.—Accompanied by a young woman, whose identity is sorely perplexing the townfolk, Ferdinand Pinney Earle, artist, has returned to his castle at Monroe. After he announced the neighbors began asking questions about the woman, but the questions have remained unanswered.

SEEKING DIVORCE BECAUSE HUSBAND LAUGHED AT HAT

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Because he made fun of a new hat she wore, his wife left him, declared Homer Barton of this city, in the Supreme Court today, when the suit brought by her for a separation came up. The Bartons' domestic bliss lasted seven weeks. Justice Giorbanin granted Mrs. Barton counsel fees and temporary alimony pending trial.

FIRST TO PLACE FLAGS ON GRAVES

CANAAN, Ct., Feb. 10.—Mrs. Laura S. Richardson has originated the national custom of decorating soldiers' graves on memorial days with flags, it is said here. She was of eighty-five years.

It was in Knoxville, in 1868, that Mrs. Richardson originated the present custom of decorating the graves of the soldier dead on national remembrance.

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At $5. Every Misses', Juniors' and Girls' Suit or Coat in Stock, That Was Formerly Priced at $10.00, $12.00 and $15.00; Saturday, at ..... At $5.

Juniors' Suits Made of splendid quality novelty fabrics, rough weaves and diagonal worsteds. Made in popular models, and coats are satin lined. These are regular $10.00 and $12.00 suits. Clean Sweep Price..... $5.00

Misses' Coats Made of splendid wool materials in a full length model. Loose and semi-fitting back effect and finished with a large roll velvet collar. Coats that were originally priced at $10.00. Clean Sweep Price..... $5.00

Girls' Coats Made of an exceptionally good grade of chinchilla, with neat shawl collar and turn back cuffs of fine catacul cloth; front is trimmed with frogs. These coats were considered splendid values at $10.00. Special at $5.00

Juniors' Coats Made of all wool fabrics that are usually found in the best made coats. Full length models, strictly tailored and finished in a superior manner. Some of these coats were priced at $12, others at $10. Special $5.00

Extra Special!——100 Girls' Coats

In sizes from 6 to 14 years. Made of all wool materials, either in the conservative plain weaves or in the more stylish fancy weaves; colors are red, brown, navy and black. The models embrace everything that is right up to the minute. $5.00 is only a fair valuation and we would not be exaggerating if we quoted a little more. For Saturday in this Clean Sweep Sale the price is..... $2.45

From the Children's Sections:—

Colored Coats Sizes 2, 3 and 4 years. On sale in the Infants' Wear Sections. All wool garments, mostly in navy, brown, and some in white. They are the regular $2.00, $3.00 and $4.00 Coats. Also 6 Silk Coats, mostly in navy blue, that were made to sell at $6.00; Saturday..... 95c

Children's Beaver Hats—Values to $4.00

Good quality close napped Beaver Hats, in navy, brown, black and white. Blocked in the popular shapes and included are some that are even worth $5.00. Clean Sweep Price for Saturday will be..... $1.98

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For four years this sale has stood absolutely alone in the matter of value-giving. No other sale like it in Boston. 6,000 pairs—worsteds, Scotches, cheviots, serges—blacks, blues, fancy stripes and checks in grays and browns. All this season's newest cut in straight and peg top trousers and cuff bottoms. Every size, from young men's to men's extra sizes—28 to 46 waist, 29 to 36 leg. Sale begins to-morrow and continues next week.

2000 Pairs fine worsteds and Scotches, plain blacks and blues and fancy stripes and checks, all with belt straps, cut latest up-to-date styles. $2.50 quality, at..... $1.55

2000 Pairs Men's and Young Men's Trousers that sold for $3.50 and $4.00, in all the very latest patterns, fancy stripes and neat plaids, in fine serges, worsteds, cheviots and Scotches. Pants for men in every walk of life. All sizes.... $2.55

2000 Pairs Men's Highest Grade Trousers, in all the finest pure worsteds, cheviots, Scotches and serges; conservative stripes made to be worn with Prince Albert coat and frock coat, sold elsewhere at $5, $6 and $7; equal to finest $10 and $12 custom made in make, style and fit..... $3.55

1000 PAIRS BOYS' 50c Knickerbocker Pants, 7 to 17 years, corduroy and Scotches, almost every new up-to-date pattern 33c

ALL $18.00 OVERCOATS NOW $10.00.

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See them in the window—We have the finest stock of this season's newest, up-to-date overcoats in Boston, formerly selling for $10 and $12—Your unrestricted choice now $5. All wool materials, serge lined, Venetian and satin lined sleeves, the new browns and grays in stripes and plaids, all sizes for men and young men, all of this winter's newest colors.

Presto Convertible and Velvet Collars, $5.00

All $15.00 Overcoats now $7.50—All $18.00 Overcoats, now $10.00—All $20.00 Overcoats now $12.00

DOUBLE S. H. STAMPS UNTIL ONE O'CLOCK AND SINGLE THEREAFTER

HEALY'S OPPONENT AT ELECTION IS UNSEATED

LONDON, Feb. 10.—The irrepressible Timothy Healy has scored a victory through the law courts over his bitter political enemies, the national directory of the United Irish League. By a decision just declared the Court of King's Bench renders void the recent North Louth election in which young Richard Hazleton, the regular Nationalist nominee, defeated Mr. Healy, who ran "independent" though under the auspices of William O'Brien's All-for-Ireland League.

The Louth election was one of the most interesting of all the contests that took place in Ireland in the general elections a few weeks ago. It was so from the fact that Healy, who was one of Parnell's earliest lieutenants and one of the most brilliant men of the original Irish Nationalist party in Parliament and is regarded today as among the jobbers of the bar, had brought down upon himself the stern discipline of the National organization in Ireland by his attitude of defiance to the decisions of the party as reached at the party conferences and by his free lance policy of personal independence both in and out of Parliament.

Behind him in this attitude Healy has had Cardinal Logue as his strongest and most influential supporter, although at the recent election the Cardinal made it known that he would take no active part in the campaign and that he would exercise no influence for Healy either through his clergy or the laity. The result was Healy was defeated by some 500 votes.

Another interesting feature was the personality of Mr. Hazleton, the regional nominee. He was in South America when the dissension of Parliamentary ranks resumed. On getting the news he said that he was to fight Healy he took the first steamer from Buenos Ayres to Liverpool and from there travelled night and day to Ireland, arriving the very night before election.

Although Hazleton's home is in Dublin he passed through that city without going to see his family and went straight to Dundalk where he was given an ovation. Active reception by his friends committee who had been making the battle for him in his absence.

When the vote was declared which made Hazleton the winner, Healy immediately announced that he would take the election into the courts on the ground that intimidation and violence had prevailed in the district on the part of his opponents.

The Healy petition was tried by a body of judges, who are all anti-Home Rulers, and their decision was a foregone conclusion. The decision will not keep Hazleton out of Parliament as he was already a member for Galway, which seat he probably would have resigned, it being a safely safe seat for the Nationalists, and inform the Speaker of the House of Commons that the North Louth seat was vacant. A new election would then be held in Galway.

If another election is now held for Louth as a result of the King's Bench decision Healy will be defeated by a much larger majority than at the recent election, as the work of registration done by the local Nationalists added several hundred Nationalist voters to the 1911 voting lists.

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In an interview on the subject a prominent local druggist says: "Take, for example, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a preparation I have sold for many years and never hesitate to recommend, for in almost every case it shows immediate results, as many of my customers testify. No other kidney remedy that I know of has so large a sale."

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A free trial bottle will be sent by mail, absolutely free. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and mention this paper. Regular size bottles sold at all druggists—50c. and $1.00.

EMILY WILLARD, WHO IS TO MARRY PHILADELPHIAN

MISS EMILY T. WILLARD

The engagement is announced of Miss Emily T. Willard of this city, sister of Charles Foster Willard, the aviator, to William H. Greer of Philadelphia. Greer is in the carpet business.

Miss Willard has accompanied her brother on his trips throughout the country. Willard is the holder of the American records for altitude and passenger carrying. He was the first man in America to fly over water, in a heavier than air machine.

The bride to be is twenty-two years old. She was born at Melrose, later moving to Hull. Her home at present is at No. 501 Columbus avenue, this city.

On many occasions Miss Willard has made flights with her brother. She is an ardent enthusiast on aviation. She was a familiar figure at the Harvard-Boston meet last September.

UNNERVED BY WOOER'S SUICIDE

Miss Enah I. Orr, the Lawrence school teacher over whom Charles Ray Creamer, 19 years old, a high school youth, killed himself after she had rejected him as a suitor for her hand, is unnerved over the suicide. She is nine years the senior.

Miss Orr said to-day that when she told Creamer that he must not call upon her she did not believe he meant his declaration that he could not live without her. The last night she saw Creamer was on Wednesday in Lawrence.

"I had come to the conclusion that he was becoming too serious in his attention to me, and I told him that I could not see him again, and for him to remain away from Lawrence. He said if that was so he did not care to live, that he cared nothing for life if he could not see me.

"But I do not think he meant it. I cannot see why he should, myself. I met him at Maplewood, N. H., in the White Mountains last Summer, and when I returned home he secured employment in Cambridge and has come to Lawrence to see me once a week. It is true that he seemed much cast down when I told him that I could not see him again, but I did not think he was affected to such an extent."

Creamer lived with his married brother, Arthur Creamer. Another brother and the young man's mother live in Waldoboro, Me., where the body will be taken for burial.

GREAT CAST HEARD IN "IL TROVATORE"

"Il Trovatore" will be sung at the Boston Opera house to-night with cards the strongest which has performed this famous opera at the Metropolitan Opera House in New York several times this season.

Lea Slezak, the gigantic Bohemian tenor, will sing Manrico, Pasquale Amato will be the Count di Luna, Mario Rappold will appear for the first time in Boston as Ferrando and Marie Claessens, who has sung frequently at the Metropolitan, will be heard in that role to-night.

"Trovatore" is one of the most popular of all operas, but it is seldom that a Boston audience gets an opportunity to hear it sung by such a remarkable cast.

Mr. Campanini will conduct.

THE BOSTON PARADE—Full page of Boston notables caricatured from life and set before you in the City Life Section of the Sunday AMERICAN. Don't miss it!

FLEES KNIFE TO TELL WIFE

Because he thought his wife might worry over his absence, Thomas Sullivan fled from an operating table at the Relief Hospital, where he was awaiting the ministrations of a doctor, ran home, told his wife and then returned for the operation.

Dr. Brickley and Orderly Harding had stepped out of the room for a moment to get some instruments. When they returned Sullivan had vanished, as had his clothing. They searched the hospital for him in vain. Then they notified the police.

The police were in a way responsible for Sullivan, for they had found him on Bosworth street, the victim of slight difference of opinion with Herbert Matthews of No. 74 Waltham street. During the argument a knife came into play, and Sullivan received the wound. Matthews was locked up on a charge of assault, and Sullivan was taken to the hospital for treatment.

When the police learned of Sullivan's departure they went to his home at No. 67 Berkeley street, but failed to find him. They had abandoned the search when Sullivan reappeared at the hospital. He directed himself of his clothes, and as he prepared to return to the operating table he explained:

"I thought an hour more or less to tell my wife wouldn't make much difference. She might worry."

SUICIDE HELD $600,000 NOTES

HOOPESTON, Ill., Feb. 10.—Unsecured notes aggregating $600,000 have been found among the possessions of D. B. M. Brown, secretary and treasurer of the Illinois Canning Company, who committed suicide here, the national bank examiners, it is said, have been investigating Mr. Brown's affairs for some time. The body of Mr. Brown was found in the office of the new canning company. A coroner's jury returned a verdict giving ill health as the cause of suicide.

MOORFIELD STOREY TO LECTURE AT YALE

NEW HAVEN, Feb. 10.—Moorfield Storey of Boston, it is announced, Yale has been selected to deliver the William L. Storrs lecture at the Yale Law School this year.

PATROLMAN IS AGAIN ACCUSED

Reserve Patrolman William E. Taylor of Somerville, who was arrested Friday on a charge of larceny, and again on Tuesday night on a charge of breaking and entering, was arraigned in Somerville to-day on an additional charge of larceny of several tools from Fire Captain Joseph A. Cripper.

As in the other cases, he pleaded not guilty through his attorney, Albert Hughes. All three cases were continued until Monday. An additional $100 was added to his bail of $1,000, which was furnished, and he was released.

The third charge against Taylor is the result of another visit to his home at No. 47 Hancock street by Lieutenant Carter and Inspector Dumery. Authorized by a search warrant, they went through the premises. They found a set of tools which were identified by Captain Crippey of Engine 8 as his. He said the tools were taken from his workshop in the Holland street engine house.

MRS. KIMBALL SEEKS DIVORCE

Mrs. Charlotte C. Kimball of Naples road, Brookline, filed through her attorney to-day a divorce libel in the Norfolk superior Court at Dedham against Allen Kimball, who has been connected with the Equity Process Company of Park square until recently. Mrs. Kimball bases her suit on statutory grounds. In her bill of complaint she names Miss Lucy B. White of Stoughton. She asks that her husband's estate be attached in $15,000 to cover the action.

Mrs. Kimball's lawyers, Duggett & Jefferson of the Pemberton building, have not served notice on Mr. Kimball so far. They failed to locate him with the Equity Process Company, where he was formerly located.

The Kimballs were married in Boston on June 9, 1896. Mrs. Kimball mentions December 22, 1910, and "other times" between July 1, 1910, and the present, in recounting her allegations against Kimball. Miss White's name is given in connection with these accusations.

SATURDAY VIOLETS

Tomorrow (Saturday) we offer a PENN violet special—one of our handsome $1.50 bunches of violets, for

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Made from Scotch Plaid Ginghams. Sizes from 6 to 14 years

Girls' 1911 dresses in charming Spring styles, and priced at radical savings to you. Ginghams are of excellent quality. **Every color guaranteed.** There are five styles (as pictured), designed and made especially for Gilchrist's.

These Dresses are made in full proportions. Not scant in any way.

They've all been named as shown by illustrations

"MARGUERITE," "EUNICE," "THERESE," "BLANCHE," "BEATRICE,"

You can order them by mail or phone, calling them by name—"Eunice," "Therese," etc.

Open to hem, making them easy to launder. Full side-plaited skirt.

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Such Dresses Have Never Been Sold Before At So Low a Price. They Are Absolutely Worth $2 Each. Your Choice Saturday at 98c.

New England mothers will patronize this sale liberally, anticipating Spring and Summer needs at savings of one-half.

287 Pairs of Boys' $2 Shoes at 1.27

Sizes 3½, 4, 4½, 5 and 5½

These Serviceable School Shoes in Blucher Styles, as shown at the left.

Made by a maker who is renowned for the solid construction of his boys' shoes.

Good reliable wearing qualities. All perfect in every way. Here in all the sizes mentioned above. On sale Saturday at **1.27**

Girls' $3.00 Shoes, sizes 1 to 4, at..... **1.69**

Children's $1.00 Leggins at..... **49c & 65c**

Men's $1.00 Everstick Rubbers at **79c**

White Party Dresses For Little Folks

Sheer white lawn, and the daintiest of embroidery insertion fashioned into beautiful little dresses for children between 2 and 6 years. Made to sell at $1.50. Week-end sale price **98c**

Unadvertised Specials

in every department of the store you'll see signs marked, "This Bargain was not advertised." Many of the best values in the store are displayed under these placards.

Save On The Values We Do Not Advertise

Saturday Sale of Boys' Clothing

Boys' Suits Ages 3 to 10. Made of all-wool serges and fancy mixtures in Russian and sailor blouse styles or double breasted suits in blue serge and fancy cassimeres. Some suits have two pair of Knickerbocker pants. Regularly priced at $4.00. Sale price..... **2.95**

Boys' Suits, ages 8 to 17 years, made in double-breasted styles, from all-wool serges, fancy cassimeres and cheviots. They'll withstand the rough wear a healthy boy will give them. Regular $5.00 values. Sale price **3.95**

Boys' Suits, in all styles for boys between 2½ and 17 years, made from all-wool serges, fancy worsteds and Scotch cheviots; splendid assortments to choose from. All regular $6.50 values. Sale price..... **4.95**

Corduroy Pants, regular 75c values ... **49c**

Boys' $4.00 Overcoats at..... **2.49**
Boys' $5.00 and $6.00 Overcoats at... **3.49**
Boys' $7.50 and $8.50 Overcoats at... **5.49**

Young Men's Suits, regular $7.50 values **5.95**

Women's New Suits

Regular $25.00 Values, lined throughout with Skinner's Guaranteed Satin . . . . . .

15.00

Made from imported serges and hard-finished worsteds. These suits are not out of the factory more than two weeks.

We picture one of the several styles here, emphasizing the splendid style of these garments

If the lining in these suits fails to wear throughout two seasons, we will reline them free of charge. Every suit is positively authentic and worth $25.00. On sale tomorrow at **15.00**

MEN'S $1.00 NEGLIGEE SHIRTS—Sale Price ... 79c

Fresh, new, perfect garments, that were made for a western store, but, through some trade difference, were not shipped. We bought them. White grounds with various striped designs; coat styles with cuffs attached; perfect fitting. $1.00 shirts on sale Saturday at **79c**

Men's Underwear

Jersey balbriggan, long sleeve shirts and ankle drawers, in medium weights. We withhold the maker's name through a trade agreement, but every garment in the lot is of standard "dollar" quality. Sale price, 3 pcs. for $2.00, per garment... **69c**

Men's Union Suits

Perfect fitting Jersey union suits, in gray and Egyptian. These are odd lots of high-grade lines; garments that are regularly worth from $1.25 to $2.00. On sale Saturday at..... **75c**

Men's 50c Neckwear Pure silk neckwear, made from imported and domestic silks; newest patterns and colorings. On sale Saturday at..... **29c**

Men's 50c Half Hose Mercerized and lisle thread hose; a sample lot of men's 50c hose in a splendid assortment of wanted colors goes on sale Saturday at **25c**

The Aviation Waist

The newest arrival in waists. Made from splendid quality of Tangier Pongee. Shown here "first," as usual.

We will sell a limited number of these waists at the special introductory price of 1.00

They are actually worth double this sale price. They are made on strictly mannish lines.

Particular attention is directed to the new French roll collar and cuffs, with attached button links.

Material is white Tangier Pongee with blue, lavender or black pencil stripes. The workmanship and fitting qualities of these waists are of the highest possible character.

CONFER OVER N. Y. DEADLOCK

ALBANY, Feb. 10.—The belief prevailed here to-day that the conference to be held between Governor Dix and Mayor Gaynor in New York to-morrow would go far toward clearing up the senatorial situation and breaking the deadlock over the election of a successor to Chauncey M. Depew.

DoYouEnjoyYour Meals?

One of the Most Important Questions to Consider in the Search for Happiness and Health.

The burning question to you is, "Are you getting out of life all the pleasure and the health you are entitled to?" If not, why not?

No matter whether every organ and member of your body is in a sound state of health and strength if your stomach is in any way disordered, you are not going to be "yourself." You are going to be a worried, out-of-sorts, nervous or ailing individual whose actions will reflect your condition inside, and people will naturally avoid you.

The world wants to smile and be cheerful, and unless you are cheerful and smile, at least occasionally, you will have few friends, fewer opportunities, no success, and you will go down in defeat—defeated by dyspepsia and a bad stomach.

A good and thorough digestion has a quick, wonderful reaction upon the brain. You must have noticed it many times, for the brain and stomach are as intimately connected as a needle and its thread, one can hardly be used to advantage without the other. If your stomach is in dire need of help in digesting your food, it will produce at once a slow, lazy and cloudy influence upon your brain. Mark it! If your stomach has absolutely quit work, and fermentation is poisoning your vitals as a result, surely your brain is going to be sluggish and correspondingly deficient. No one need tell you that.

But why continue to suffer all the miseries and torments that a disordered stomach brings you?

If your stomach can not digest your food, what will? Where's the relief? Where's the cure?

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are the relief and the cure. Why? Because, as all stomach troubles arise from indigestion and because one ingredient of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is able to thoroughly and completely digest 3,000 grains of any kind of food, doesn't it stand to reason that these little Dyspepsia Tablets are going to digest all the food and whatever food you put into your stomach? Science nowadays can digest food without having to use the stomach for it. And Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are the result of this scientific discovery. They digest, and digest thoroughly and well, anything and everything you eat.

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Get a package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at any drug store on earth for 50c a package.

Send us your name and address to-day and we will at once send you by mail a sample package free. Address F. A. Stuart Co., 150 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

Mutt and Jeff Make Bow at Revere Dance To-night

On the right is William McQueeney as "Mutt," on the left James Hartigan as "Jeff."

Bud Fisher's characters, "Mutt and Jeff," will be guests at the third annual ball of the Millstream S. and A. Club, to be held in the Town Hall, Revere, this evening. The characters from Fishertown will be portrayed by William McQueeny, who will act as "Mutt," and James Hartigan, as his side-partner, "Jeff."

The young men who comprise the organization have been hard at work on a little skit entitled the "Fisher Promenade," which is to be the feature of the evening. The skit will be under the personal direction of Al Litman. The dance committee has disposed of a large number of tickets and the banner crowd of the year is expected. The committee in charge of the dance comprises William Buckley, chairman; James Burke, Michael Moronto and William Fitzergill. The officers of the club are: James Haydock, president; Michael Moronto, vice-president; Ludwig Schmeisberg, secretary; James Burke, treasurer.

A NEW HAT EVERY WEEK—"Why I buy it." Billie Burke will tell you all about it in the Sunday AMERICAN.

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URGE HELP FOR GAELIC LEAGUE

The following circular is issued by the committee in aid of the final sum being raised for the Gaelic League in Ireland:

"At a public meeting held in the Tremont Street Theatre on January 29, a fund was opened to aid the Gaelic League in Ireland.

"The Gaelic League has the practically unanimous support of all the Irish people in its work of restoring Ireland's distinctive national civilization.

"The principal machinery by which the Gaelic League operates, is a staff of 1,500 traveling Irish teachers and organizers who teach the language, history and songs of Ireland to the rising generation and foster an Irish spirit amongst the people in general.

"The people at home in Ireland are making great sacrifices to foster the cause of establishing this body of men.

"The Gaelic League finds it necessary to appeal to Irish people in America to contribute to aid in this vital national work, and have sent two envoys to America for the purpose of seeking support.

"We earnestly hope that you will answer this appeal with a generous response.

"Please send your subscription to Joseph H. O'Neill, president Federal Trust Company, Boston, to whom checks should be made payable."

100,000 NAMES IN 'PHONE DIRECTORY

The new telephone directory is out. It contains over 100,000 names. If 1,500,000 copies of this issue, which is circulated only in Greater Boston and along the North Shore, were piled up the would tower over a mile and a half high—and if they would stretch from Boston eastward, or from Boston to Marlboro. They would tip the scales at 1,240 tons.

RUNAWAY BOY WHO NOW SAYS BOSTON IS GOOD ENOUGH

HERBERT BOWER.

Herbert Bower, fifteen years old, of No 125 Boylston street, Jamaica Plain, returned to-day to his friends that all the talk about New York being the greatest place in the world is a delusion and a snare.

Florence nothing in it," declared Herbert. "I know. I've been there. I had $4 when I left home Tuesday, and I didn't feel anybody was going. Mother didn't know I went on a hunt.

"I got off the boat Wednesday morning. I had a little money. I saw a big policeman and I asked him where I could get something to eat. He took me to a police station. They asked me a lot of questions and then took me to a home where I stayed until my uncle, Theodore Lemieux, came for me last night and brought me home.

CLARA BARTON IS IMPROVING

It was learned here to-day that Miss Clara Barton, founder and for many years president of the National Red Cross in the United States, had been seriously ill in her home in Glen Echo, Maryland.

Miss Barton, who is in her ninetieth year, was unable to take any nourishment to-day on account of stomach and bronchial

CROWD SAW LADY DECIES SMOKE

BRUNSWICK, Ga., Feb. 10.—When Lord Decies and his bride, formerly Miss Vivian Gould, arrived here aboard the Atlantic Coast Line on their way to Jekyl Island to spend their honeymoon, Lady Decies created considerable interest by puffing a cigarette in full view of several hundred persons gathered at the station to get a look at prospective royalty.

INDIGESTION, SOURNESS, DYSPEPSIA AND ALL STOMACH MISERY GOES.

There would not be a case of indigestion here if readers who are subject to stomach trouble knew the tremendous betterment and digestive virtue contained in Diapepsin. The harmless preparation will digest a heavy meal without the slightest fuss or discomfort, and relieve the sourest acid stomach in five minutes, besides overcoming all foul, fermenting odors from the breath.

Ask your pharmacist to show you the formula found printed on each 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin, then you will readily understand why this promptly cures indigestion and relieves such symptoms as Heartburn, a feeling like a lump of lead in the stomach, Belching of Gas and Eructations of undigested food, water brash, Nausea, Headache, Biliousness and many other bad symptoms, and, besides, you will not need laxatives to keep your stomach, liver and intestines clean and regular.

If your stomach is sour and full of gas or your food doesn't digest, and your meals don't seem to fit, why not get a 50-cent case from your druggist and make this satisfy thing? Absolute relief from stomach misery and perfect digestion of anything you eat is sure to follow five minutes after, and, besides, one case is sufficient to cure a whole family of such trouble.

Surely a harmless, inexpensive preparation like Diapepsin, which will relieve after a few doses, and overcome almost entirely during the night, relieve your stomach misery and digest your meals in time as you eat them, is worth knowing about as well as having in the house.

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Surely Bargains At the Prices

50c and 59c Waists at	25c
Usual 75c Kimonos at	19c
$1 to $1.50 Sweaters	50c
75c Muslin Skirts at	39c
Boys' 50c Wool Gloves	25c
Boys' 75c Rubbers at	44c
Children's $1.25 Shoes	89c
Boys' $2 School Shoes	1.50

50c Wool Gloves

For Women and Girls

25c A manufacturer's sample line we bought at half price. Every pair is a 50c value, 20 different styles in plain colors or fancy stripes.

50c Lace Jabots Tagged at 25c
Tagging 25c Ribbon now 12c
25c Gauze Lisle Hose now 12c
25c Embroidered Handkerchiefs 12c

Look For The Red Tags

And Prove For Yourself How Real Red Tag Bargains Are

Take as an item for investigation those men's $10 suits and overcoats we have Red Tagged to sell for five dollars. At wholesale you couldn't find garments of a like quality selling as low as we're retailing them. Or if boys' clothing is more what you want, look up those $3.00 Russian or sailor suits at $1.89. At $3.00 you'd recognize them to be highly priced—that is in ordinary times. But Red Tag times are altogether unusual—they call for positive clearance—no matter how much we lose. Then remember that this same proportionate saving holds good throughout the store—and you will be well pleased with yourself for looking up our Red Tags.

$10 Suits Or O'coats

The overcoats come in 52-inch lengths, made from $10 qualities of striped cheviots, and are well lined with serge. Single breasted suits that close with three buttons. Gray cassimeres in broken plaids, stripes and mixed effects. Also, brown cheviots with black stripes.

$5

$5 Suits Red Tagged $9.95
$5 Overcoats Tagged $9.95

Men's Furnishings

Red Tag Prices

25c Silk Poplin Four-in-Hands Tagged now 9c
25c C. M. C. and 25c Boston Garters at 12c
50c President Suspenders Red Tagged at 35c
Boys' 50c Sweaters Now Red Tagged at 19c
Cooper's $1.00 Underwear Red Tagged 79c
Regular $1.50 Capeskin Gloves Now 1.35

Men's Trousers

$3.00 Qualities

2.00 Red Tagging all our winter trousers that sold for $3 at $2; fancy worsted patterns or cassimeres, in fancy gray and plain black.

Items for Women

Red Tag Reductions

75c Rubbers Now Red Tagged at 39c
$1.00 Crocheted Slippers Red Tagged at 44c
$1.50 Capeskin Gloves now marked at 71c
$3.00 Cloth Top Boots now marked at 1.79
$3.50 Gun Metal Boots now marked at 1.98
All $5.00 Fur Turbans Red Tagged at 1.49

The Boys' Clothing

Red Tagging

$3.50 Suits-O'coats

1.89

Russian or sailor suits, convertible or regular overcoats, of union cloth or cheviots, in medium colorings and stripes. Ages 3 to 10.

39c Blouses, wash materials, at 19c
$1 Astrachan Caps, inside band 59c
4.00 Overcoats, 3 to 6 years, at 2.79
5.50 Double-Breasted Suits, at 3.89
6.50-7.50 Russian Overcoats, 3-7 4.79

Women's Garments

Red Tagging

Women's $15 Suits

10.98

Fancy weave serge in black or blue. Coats 30 in. long, semi-fitting backs; box plait in front of skirt.

5.00 Panama Skirts Tagged 3.98
7.00 Marabou Scarfs, 12 tails 4.98
12.00 Black Broadcloth Suits 7.98
20.00 Suits of Scotch Mixtures 9.98
8.00 Sable Fox Muffs Tagged 5.98

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BATTLE NEAR, SAYS STEVENS

By OTHEMAN STEVENS.

EL PASO, Feb. 10.—It was a nice, pretty little war, but there's danger that the army of space writers of the Southwest and by careful fostering it became quite a success; but for five days the flood of humorous nonsense has attained its climax and it has withered into an oasis of sodden sat for as news is concerned.

Of it were not for the adventuring correspondents the newspapers would have no use for "war scare" heads. Yesterday it was C. D. Hazeltine. Today it was Arthur Nutt of a New York weekly paper. Gossipy force stage-managed this episode, as they were determined that Congress, following should not be the only beneficiaries of the efforts of the publicity agents.

Mr. Ruhl visited Orozco's camp and was met by a scullion who escorted him to the inner circle; he talked awhile and then began to make his adieus, but Orozco's able politicy but Ruhl informed him that he was a prisoner and would have to remain until his case was investigated and the general decided his fate. This pleased the correspondent immensely as he wished to make a prolonged stay with the insurrectos. But after four or five hours he was released.

Forced to Take Freedom.

"I wish to remain with you awhile," protested Mr. Ruhl. "Cannot you declare me a prisoner?"

No; that was beyond the articles of war. Mr. Ruhl was free and would have to go home; if he did not take his freedom it would be forced upon him.

There were good decisions here were favorable to the insurrectos' cause. "General" Lomeli, who, with his wagon-load of groceries, was arrested a few days ago on his way to Orozco's camp, was released, as United States Commander George B. Otter told that "General" Lomeli's grocery wagon was not a military expedition under the statutes.

For a time we were all prostrated from crossing into Juarez by United States soldiers. Later this was remedied. It was understood that the Federal officials on this side had decided that any unarmed man could cross the line, and that what he did after he crossed was his own business. We have the General Navarro train moves up and his forces wiped out fifteen times since the last midnight, but from railway officers it is learned that he is at Alamada, eighty-one miles south of here.

He is with his train and is rebuilding the destroyed bridge as he comes.

This will aid the railroad company and also give an open line of retreat. But I don't count the time and that will be an old-time warrior who will believe that the purpose of war is to kill the enemy and being a two-fisted fighter Junez will not become the Insurrecto capital. If he remains it.

Still Joining Orozco.

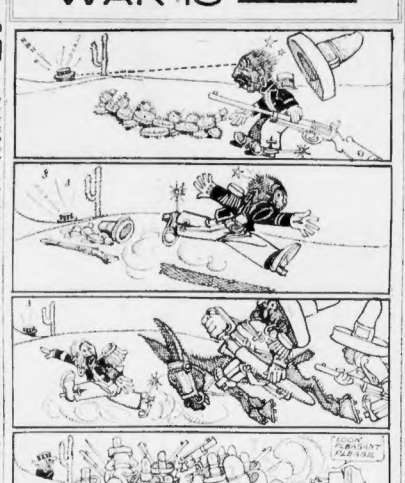
General Huanio is said joining Orozco at a dozen places daily.

Colonel Gonzales said that General Casa, the with whom he had joined Orozco near Las Pieres Ranch.

If this is true, Orozco has somewhere near a thousand men. Alross is supposed to be within twelve or fifteen miles with as many more. If these officers' reports unions of the functions may make them formidable, but there is good basis for the assumption that Rangel and Orozco are at outs and there are rumors among the Insurrectos here that they have other jealousies to count with.

Lawrence F. Converse, the insurrecto from Los Angeles, is in the city. I talked with him, but found him reticent about his comrades. He was held up twice on his way to town by Mexican Federals, who did not suspect his identity, but took all of his money and let him go.

A country city nearly brought about a rupture with Mexico on Sunday at Douglas, a border town. A father, mother and little girl crossed the line and the child happened, in reply to some other children, to shout "viva Madero." The father was arrested at once as an insurrecto.



ARNOLD CLEW IN VANCOUVER

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—A despatch today from Bellingham, Washington, says that for some days mail addressed "Miss Dorothy Arnold" has been arriving in care of attorneys. Today an order to forward the mail to the addressee at Vancouver, B. C., was received, and Sheriff Hume, who left for Vancouver to investigate a possible clew to the whereabouts of the missing New York heiress.

The men are Francesco Fiori, thirty-three; Nicola Penta, twenty-one; Jeroslva Pinto, twenty-one, and Frank Bello, twenty-two. All were charged with breaking and entering the saloon of C. Mogan & Hanover and Battery streets a week ago and the larceny of liquors. They were held in $2,000 each for a hearing Monday. The police say they suspect these men of at least seven other breaks, property worth from $200 to $1,000 having been stolen in each instance.

The men have been closely watched for several weeks, the police say, in connection with a succession of breaks that have alarmed the district. Last night Sergeant McDevitt and a squad of men from station 1 surrounded the house at No. 8 Garden Court street, where the men were known to be. The men made an insane revolt attempt to escape.

FOUR ACCUSED BURGLARS HELD

Four were believed to be members of a gang responsible for numerous recent breaks in the North End were to-day arraigned before Judge Murray in the Municipal Court, following a sensational raid last night at No. 8 Garden Court street, where they were captured and where the police say burglar tools and much stolen property was recovered.

NEW ART WORK FREE—Penrhyn Stanlaw's "Is There Always a Crowd?" will be given with each copy of the City Life Section of the Sunday AMERICAN.

COSTUME CARNIVAL FOR NEEDY STUDENTS

The fourth annual costume carnival of the New England Conservatory of Music will be held Tuesday evening at Symphony Hall. The receipts, which are to go to the fund for the aid of talented but needy students. The program includes Kinkeking, the Polish pantomimist, the Hindustan fakir dance, Trollienne and Tarantella dances.

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TWO BOSTON BANKS TO UNITE

Two of the strongest national banking institutions in the city, the Merchants' National and the State National, will be consolidated, probably before the end of next week. Negotiations for the merger have been in progress for several days, but the arrangement has not been definitely closed. What few details remain to be settled will be cleared up in a few days.

"I cannot tell you that there is anything more than that the negotiations are still going on," said President Ripley. "There are several details yet to be arranged, but these will probably be settled in a very few days. Further than that there is nothing I care to say about the matter."

The State National is one of the oldest banking institutions in Boston. It was chartered in 1811 as a State bank and was organized as a national bank in 1901. Its last report to the banking department showed a capital of $2,000,000 and a surplus and profits of $3,000,000. The officers are: President, Alfred L. Ripley; vice-president, Allen Curtis; treasurer, George B. Warren; directors, Frederic Amory, Alden Curtis, Samuel Lessor Elliott, Jacob Rogers, George G. Davis, Alfred L. Ripley, Alfred O. Foster, Frank W. Stearns, Charles E. Cotting, R. H. Stevens, Jr., Robert S. Parker Bremer, Lewis P. Bartlett, Jr., Frederick A. Flather, Alfred L. Aiken.

The Merchants' National is another long established institution. It was chartered as a State bank in 1831 and has been a national bank since 1865. It has a capital of $3,000,000 and a surplus and profits of more than $3,000,000. Arthur B. Hilsbee is president and A. P. Weeks vice-president and cashier. The directors are: Jefferson Coolidge, Charles W. Amory, Howard Stockton, Arthur B. Hilsbee, George P. Gardner, Timothy E. Byrnes, Nathaniel Thayer, Francis L. Higginson and George Wigglesworth.

NINTH REGIMENT TO GIVE DANCE TO-NIGHT

Two thousand invitations have been sent out for the annual "band practice" and dance of the Ninth Regiment, M. V. M., to be held to-night at the Armory on East Newton street. The spacious drill shed is handsomely decorated and illuminated for the occasion.

The guest list includes the names of Governor Foss, Major Fitzgerald, the officers of the United States army and navy stationed in Boston, the officers of the Ninth Regiment, and other military organizations and prominent citizens of Boston and the State.

SENDS LONG LOST LETTER TO WIDOW

ST. ALBANS, Vt., Feb. 10.—Major Seymour B. Wood, who served in the First Vermont Cavalry in the Civil War, has mailed to Mrs. Mildred Mitchell of Northfield, Vt., a letter taken by Sidney C. Pomeroy of St. Albans, a soldier in the First Vermont, from the knapsack of a Confederate soldier, Randolph Dodd, when the Vermonters made a charge on the Confederate works at Fisher's Hill, Va., September 22, 1864. The letter was written the day on which the soldier was killed on the field of battle. Pomeroy lost the letter back after the war.

HANLEY ABSOLVED IN SHOOTING CASE

Chief Dugan of headquarters and Sergeant Horton and Special Officer Buchanan of the Court Square station, presented to Judge Burke in the Municipal Court the evidence they got after investigating the accidental shooting of Patrolman Richard J. Gallivan by his brother officer, Patrick A. Hanley, while they were chasing (now would-be burglars. As was expected, this proved no incident, as far as any proceedings against Hanley were concerned.

CHAMPION LINE BULL BOUGHT FOR $10,000

BROCKTON, Feb. 10.—The highest price on record for a bull calf was paid when Royal Purple, the seven-weeks-old one owned by Daniel W. Field, owner of the most valuable herd of Holsteins in the world, was sold to W. H. Miner of Chazy, N. Y., for $10,000. Royal Purple was sired by Champion Sour Johanna Lad, the champion bull of the world, valued at $12,000, and Aggie Corcopolis Pontiac, the champion milk and butter cow of the world, valued at $10,000.

HOW MARRIAGE HAS CHANGED HER—A sprightly romance of an American girl and royalty. Read it in the Sunday AMERICAN.

$300,000 CLAIMS ON THAW ALLOWED

PITTSBURG, Feb. 10.—In an opinion and report relative to the claims of creditors of Harry K. Thaw, who killed Stanford White, William T. Blair, referee in bankruptcy, has allowed a number of claims totalling $300,000. Mrs. Mary C. Thaw, the mother, is allowed her claim in full, amounting to $200,671. Attorney John B. Gleason of New York was allowed $20,115.

FINISH PLANE FOR NEW AERIAL ROUTE

DETROIT, Feb. 10.—The plan of the Detroit & Cleveland Aerial Navigation Company, a company organized by the officers of the D. & C. Navigation Company to put into operation this Summer an air route between Detroit, Cleveland and Buffalo, took form when the aeroplane which will make the initial trip was finished and shipped to the New York Motor Boat Show.

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LAWRENCE MEN ARE ARRAIGNED

LAWRENCE, Feb. 10.—A crowd that packed the municipal court room to-day heard Assistant District Attorney John J. Burke denounce the men recently arrested in the startling graft cases that have aroused the indignation of the people of the city.

Those arraigned to-day were Patrick Lyons, superintendent of streets; Clerk Holland J. Flynn, Contractor Philip Holland and John P. Kane of Lawrence, and Contractor Fred L. Snow of Lowell. The men were arraigned before Associate Judge Fred N. Chandler. They had all been bailed in $3,000 each. Through their attorneys they waived examination.

Graft Charges.

Addressing the court on the question of bail, Mr. Burke said:

"This is a serious complaint against these defendants. The government stands ready to prove a conspiracy which is of a most amazing and audacious character.

"Superintendent Lyons received $100 as one occasion for awarding a contract and $1,000 at another time, at the command of Holland.

"Bills were raised by Kane at the command of Holland. Lyons was so negligent that Holland took blank bills bearing his signature to be left with Clerk Flynn. Some of these bills were filled out of the Holland office.

"It is impossible to find out the extent of this affair at the present time, but the Commonwealth feels that if the present bail is insufficient. We ask that it be raised to $5,000 and that the clerk be very careful in his examination of those who furnish the bail."

Eleven Witnesses Held.

In spite of the protests of their lawyers the bail of Holland, Lyons and Flynn was raised to $5,000. The bail of Kane and Snow was allowed to remain at $3,000. Eleven witnesses were placed under $200 bail each for their attendance at the trial. The grand jury will come before the next Grand Jury, which may be a special one or the regular one that meets in May. So great was the interest in the cases today that scores of people who went to the courtroom were unable to get in.

SOME GOLF YARNS LIKE FISH STORIES

PINEHURST, N. C., Feb. 10.—To a group of other golfers kept indoors to-day by the downpour, James D. Post of Aquavilla told how he made the famous eleventh hole after his ball had dropped down the ventilator of the cabin which formerly stood at the left of the course. Going inside he found the missing ball from off the fire place, out through the door, on to the green, and then into the fire, holing the hole, which an overcredulous opponent had considered won. He also related how he had a ball with which he repeated again a new trap which has been thrown on the roof of the same cabin, and how he made use of a convenient barrel and playing out in 1 winning the hole.

SUIT TO RECOVER DEAD MAN'S $30,000

A suit has been brought in the Superior Court against Andrew N. Winslow by O. Edward Kales and Philip Abbott, administrators of the estate of Adam Ruesy, Russy died July 30. The bill alleges that he was a creditor of Winslow in the manufacture of umbrellas, and that the latter has run amounts to over $30,000. The special administrators say they have demanded of Winslow that he wind up the partnership, but that he continues in business and says nothing is due the estate.

QUEEN'S GLASS COACH BURNED

LONDON, Feb. 10.—The ancient royal glass coach, used for two centuries in the coronation ceremonies was destroyed by fire to-day, together with the queen's barouche, another vehicle used on state occasion, and a fire swept the paint and carriage builder in the West End, where both were being renovated. The historic old carriages were being furnished up for the coronation of King George in June. The glass coach was 200 years old.

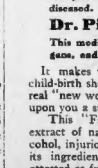
NAGEL TO SPEAK IN BOSTON LINCOLN DAY

The Middlesex Club announced to-day that Charles Nagel, Secretary of Commerce and Labor, would be the chief speaker at its Lincoln anniversary banquet at the Somerset Hotel, Monday. The banquet is in celebration of the one hundred and second anniversary of the birth of Lincoln. Other speakers will be Rabbi Charles Fleischer and former Congressman J. Adam Bede of Minnesota.

SPARKS FROM HEATER SET CLOTHING AFIRE

Sparks from a heater in a room on the top floor of the lodging house at No. 2 Rollins street, South End, early to-day set fire to some clothing hanging in the closet and caused a blaze requiring the aid of the fire department in extinguishing it. The damage was less than $100.

When He Courted You



He didn't complain if you were a little despondent or irritable at times. Now he does. He's the same man. He doesn't know. He's price and liked it. Now he thinks it is caprice and doesn't like it. But now he's busy getting money.

If he realized the full truth he would be more than anxious to have the wife he loves take the right remedy to restore her to true womanly health. Most men don't know that when a woman is weak, nervous, irritable and despondent, there is invariably something radically wrong with the delicate feminine organs with which her entire physique is in sensitive sympathy.

There is one, and just one remedy, tried and proven, that will put things right when the feminine organism is weak or diseased. It is

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This medicine restores perfect health to the weakened organs, and makes them strong.

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and strengthen Stomach, Liver and Bowels. Easy to take as candy.

MARY PAYNE, 19, MISSING FROM THE SOUTH END

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Mrs. Edith Payne of No. 37 Fayette street, South End, after vainly trying to locate her missing nineteen-year-old daughter Mary, has appealed for aid in her search.

The daughter has been missing since New Year's. At that time she was working for the General Electric Company of Lynn. While there she boarded with a Mrs. Nelson of No. 33 Cottage street. She left there on the first of the year to come to Boston. Since then nothing has been heard from her.

Previous to working in Lynn Mary Payne worked for Thomas Hesson in Acushnet, doing housework. Her mother says that she wrote regularly. She has been away from home off and on for four years. Since her disappearance Mrs. Payne has made constant efforts to trace her.

WILL DESCRIBE FIGHT AGAINST BLINDNESS

Dr. F. Park Lewis, a worker for the blind, who attended the convention for the prevention of blindness and the conservation of eyesight held at New York, will tell of the importance of preventive work from the national standpoint, and show how many different interests are concerned in this problem of saving the eyes, at a meeting to be held in Huntington Chambers Hall, No. 30 Huntington avenue, on Tuesday.

Miss Helen Keller will also tell of the fight that is being made against blindness. The work done by the Commission for the Blind who is explained by James P. Munroe, chairman of the commission; Lucy Wright, general manager; Henry Copley Greene, field agent; also Dr. Mark W. Richardson, secretary of the State Board of Health; and Dr. David Snedden, Commissioner of Education, will speak.

GIVES HORSE TO BELLBOY AS TIP

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—Jack Steain, a bellboy at the Palace Hotel, got a horse as a tip. Not a tip on a horse, but a real thoroughbred that has been showing its heels at a merry clip at Emeryville for the last season. R. J. Mackenzie, a horseman, was the giver, and Kerry Gow, a three-year-old of the handicap class is the horse. Mackenzie, like most of his companions in the racing game, can see no future for the runners, and some of the horsemen have been disposing of their stables at ridiculously low prices.

DENIES BRYCE GOT PRINCETON OFFER

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—A rumor that Ambassador James Bryce of Great Britain had been offered the presidency of Princeton University, originating at the Princeton Club in Cincinnati, and reaching this city to-day, was denied by Moses Taylor Pyne, a member of the committee of the university trustees, which has been appointed to select a successor to Woodrow Wilson. Mr. Pyne said that the committee had agreed upon no one.

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MOTHER DYING; GIVEN PARDON

The last meeting of the Governor's Council ever held by telephone took place today when Governor Foss acted on matters to get the approval of the Council to a pardon for Dominico Catolibuno so that the latter could leave the State prison in time to see his mother before she died.

Catolibuno had ten days more to serve of the three-year term for robbery in Haverhill. His mother, Mrs. Carmela Catolibuno, is dying of pneumonia in the Massachusetts General Hospital. The physicians said she would probably not survive till the end of her son's term.

Relatives of the mother and son went to the State House to-day and told the Governor that only ten days more remained of the prison sentence and asked if the young man could not be pardoned now.

The Governor had telephone calls put in for the Councillors. He explained the urgent circumstances and all the Councillors with whom he talked gave their approval.

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When the blood becomes thin and weak, the body is in a condition which doctors call "anemic." Every organ is weakened. The power to fight off disease is reduced.

It is then that any disease which may be hereditary in the family of the patient has a chance to show itself. Sick headache, stomach trouble and possibly rheumatism developed in the case of Mrs. George Osborne, of No. 79 Popular avenue, Carbondale, Pa. She says:

"I was in an anemic condition for three years and became so broken down in health that I could walk only short distances when I would have to stop and rest. I had terrible sick headaches which lasted all day and night. I couldn't keep anything on my stomach, had a poor appetite and lost forty pounds in weight. There were sharp, cutting pains between the shoulders and in the back of the head. Every day I had nausea and often had dizzy spells.

"The doctor pronounced my trouble anaemia. I tried one medicine after another without doing any good, but at last decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After a fair trial I saw they were giving me relief and with them still cured. I am in good health now and have no need for medicine."

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Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or will be sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box; six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y. Our booklet, "Diseases of the Blood," is free on request.

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CORSETS ARE URGED AS AID TO HEALTH

The evolution of the corset from the old health-destroying leather and steel device of centuries ago to the present scientific article which conforms with the form as Mother Nature intended it should be, was graphically told in a lecture and demonstration given by Madam F. F. Goodwin, corset expert at the National Styles Show.

Madam Goodwin declared that at last science, fashion and hygiene were working together to emancipate humanity from the countless ills occasioned by the improper and unhygienic corsets of years ago. She declared that great progress had been made in the last five years. She said:

Regular Straight Jacket.

"The corset worn by the women of fashion in 1868 was made of leather and steel. It came to the waist line, and was riveted upon the form. It so remained until worn out, and was replaced by a new one. The result was an abnormal form and various ills which were necessarily handed down to posterity. Two hundred and fifty years later the corset was remodelled to meet the demands of the time, a waist which could be spanned by the two hands. This caused restricted development of the breathing apparatus. Scientists tell us that originally we were destined to crawl on all fours. This they claim, is the reason we need the artificial support for the sagging muscles which our erect carriage develops.

"The next noticeable step in corset making was the so-called 'straight front,' which in due time developed the 'Kangaroo' form.

"During the past fifteen years corset making has taken great strides and we find the present make conforming almost identically to the lines with which Mother Nature provided us. In fact, the most advanced scientists tell us that the uncorseted form is the thing of beauty. However that may be, the perfectly corseted woman of to-day stands nearer to this ideal than ever before. There is no abnormally small waist, no abnormally large abdomen, no undeveloped chest muscles. There is a glow of health and happiness in the face of the wearer of the up-to-date corset which was entirely absent from her ancestor. She has to-day one and one-half inches more of breathing space and her circulation is normal. Poise is the mainspring of power and where there is no comfort there is, necessarily, no poise.

For Beauty's Sake.

"Ask ten women 'why they first put on corsets,' and the answer from nine will be, 'For the sake of appearance.' To prove that appearance has been the prime reason for the wearing of the garment we find in a search of the pre-historic records marvelous variety of shapes and materials all designed to produce artificial lines on the natural woman.

"At the period of discovery of some of the Islands of the Eastern Archipelago, it was found customary for all young females to wear a peculiar kind of corset, formed of spirally arranged rattan, which remained on for a stated length of time.

"A taste for slender waists has prevailed among many nations. Humboldt says in his personal narrative of the women of Java: 'They eat a reddish clay called 'tampo.' In order that they may become thin.' This clay destroys the appetite and brings about a loss of flesh. The inhabitants of Ceylon make a study of the training of the figure, and no young woman is considered of fashionable elegance unless, among other graces, she possesses a waist that may be almost or quite clasped with the two hands, and this standard of waist measure has within a century been almost wide-spread.

"In the sixties, at English boarding schools, girls were looked over by the mistress of the school on their entrance, and one size of the waist to which they should be reduced upon graduation was then and there prescribed. Fourteen or fifteen inch waists were quite the average, and no matter what physical suffering, fainting, loss of appetite or other ills befell, the reduction of waists went on. The most desirable school was that which turned out the graduates with the smallest waist measure and with the greatest amount of learning.

"There was also a school in France which actually reduced the waists of some of the pupils to eleven inches. As a consequence a group of French physicians proposed a legislative act which would prohibit the use of corsets, or at least the abnormally small ones.

"Women of the stage have been most influential in bringing about a better, truer, more beautiful standard of women's bodily proportions. They have either been corseted, so that their vital powers were not restricted nor the natural graceful motion of the muscles impeded, or those who were slender enough have been so trained they dress without corsets altogether. No woman on the stage would reach an artistic success who moved like a badly jointed doll, as many women do who wear corsets wrongly proportioned and laced too tight.

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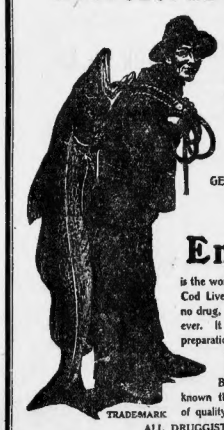

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How "Mere Man" Feels at the Fashion Show

CITY MAY SUE SHAW ESTATE

Mayor Fitzgerald, who recently charged that the Quincy A. Shaw estate had escaped paying thousands of dollars due the city as taxes, has asked the Finance Commission to investigate and advise him if the city should bring suit. The Mayor's letter says in part:

"Mr. Shaw died early in 1908. On October 1 of that year the executors of his estate, Francis C. Welch, Robert F. Herrick and Quincy A. Shaw, 2d, filed an inventory of the personal property showing a total of a little more than $7,000,000, of which about $5,000,000 was in taxable securities.

"As a result, the city of Boston received $82,500 for taxes from this estate. Accounts subsequently filed showed the total value of the personal property of the estate amounted to $22,818,014.81, of which amount $16,714,800 was taxable.

"As a result the city of Boston is the loser thereby to the extent of $117,000 or upon $82,500 instead of $275,500 to which it was properly entitled."

BABSON WILL RULE ON LIBRARY STATUES

Mayor Fitzgerald has decided to call upon Corporation Counsel Babson for a decision in the controversy between the Art Commission and City Public Library trustees over the question of which has legal jurisdiction over the statues that are to be placed in front of the library. The library trustees point to the special law which authorized them to have a new public library building built, and which gives them full power as to the construction of the building. The Art Commission points to the general law, which was enacted after the special law above mentioned, and which says that all works of art received by the city must get the approval of the Art Commission.

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TAX CRUSADE NETS $105,051

State Treasurer Stevens makes public a neat little financial transaction whereby he spent $2,334 for the State in the past fourteen months and secured thereby $107,385 for the State in delinquent inheritance taxes.

This money represents the delinquent inheritance taxes and interest on the same at six per cent. on 150 cases so far investigated. As there are a total of 1085 estates in the list which Mr. Stevens drew up from old records, he figures that when the full list has been put through the State will be gainer by a round million or more.

POPPING CORKS AS FIRE ALARM

Sounds of the popping of corks in the drug store of W. M. Curtis at No. 680 Dudley street, Roxbury, attracted the attention of Patrolman Maurice J. Zeoman early today. A rush of smoke through the transom of the store entrance convinced Zeoman that his first suspicions of wild revelry in the place were unfounded and that the corks were popping because of the heat from a lively little blaze which had filled the entire building, a two-story wooden structure, with smoke.

The cause of the fire was not discovered. The damage was about $200.

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Women's 2.00 and 2.50 Pure Silk Swiss Vests—Low neck; sleeveless. Sale price 98c

Women's 3.50 and 4.50 Italian Silk Vests—Handsomely embroidered. Sample Size. 38 only. Sale price 1.89

Women's 50c Swiss Vests—Low neck, sleeveless; in plain and fancy styles. Sale price 25c

Women's 75c and 1.00 Swiss Mercerized Vests—Low neck, sleeveless. Sale price 49c

Women's 75c and 1.00 Union Suits—Summer weight, lace trimmed, or tight knee. Sale price 49c

Women's 1.00 and 1.25 Summer Union Suits—Lace trimmed or tight knee. Regular and extra sizes. Sale price 69c

Women's 1.50 to 3.00 Union Suits—These are samples and broken sizes. Sale price 98c

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Absolutely every garment in the store has its price cut in half. Sack, Walking, Prince Albert, Dress and Tuxedo Suits, including the new London Soft Roll Sack and the rough Raglan Coats, medium and heavy weight Overcoats, English Raincoats, Auto and Fur-lined Coats, odd Trousers, etc., etc.

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Lined with muskrat, outside shell of broadcloth, collar of piece of Persian lamb. Worth $40.00. Regularly $25.00. Now 17.50

Russian Pony Skin lined coat, outside shell of beautiful black Venetian. Worth $45.00, regularly $45.00. Now 22.50

Lined with natural, choice of muskrat or Persian lamb collar, broadcloth shell. Worth $75.00, our former price $50.00. Now 37.50

Fur Coat of bonded muskrat (choice skins), various qualities, fancy or black outside shell. Sold everywhere for our price former $125. Now 62.50

And so on, on, including every imaginable fur, to $500 full selected sable Mink Coats for $250. Every coat carries the GEORGES guarantee of a business established for 32 years.

During the Sale

We will sell Auto Coats, outside fur, black dog, former price $40, for $12.50, and Raccoon, former price $45, for $17.50. Not many, so don't miss this opportunity.

If everything isn't as advertised, all you are out is carfare, and we are out a prospective customer. Are we not the greater loser?

Back of this sale is a business established since 1879.

We mention three garments out of over 6,000 now here to select from:

Sack Suit, in dark oxford gray. A GEORGES English model. Three-button, short roll effect, in vogue today with the best dressers. Equal of any Twenty-five Dollar made-to-order. Formerly marked $15. Now 7.50

Black Kersey Overcoat, self collar, conservative cut, rather long, lined throughout with Twilled Venetian. A merchant tailor would charge you at least Forty Dollars to duplicate it. Our former price $22.50. Now 11.25

Long Swagger Ulster, color wood-brown, material of Scotch Tweed, with invisible overplaid; has the latest sloping shoulders and belted back effect, with combination dress and storm collar. A creation of one of New York's leading tailors. Our former price $28.00. Now 14.00

There are "Half-Price store" and "half-Price Sales," ours is legitimate. No price jugglers, no "phoney" Regulars. Everything clean-cut.

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BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

WAGNER IS DRAWN ON JURY ON EVE OF TRAINING TRIP

LAST DAY FOR FLETCHER'S NEW LEAGUE PLANS

BIG PURSE FOR JACK AND SAM

In a cablegram to Billy Pierce of this city, Joe Woodman, manager of Sam Langford, says there are two openings in England with big purses guaranteed for a match between the Boston boxer and Jack Johnson, the colored heavyweight champion of the world.

Woodman states that Mr. Bettinson of the National Sporting Club is anxious to put the bout on at that club, but insists on a letter from Johnson to clear up a misunderstanding with the club in regard to Johnson's failure to meet Langford after the Burns fight. The National Sporting Club will put up a $20,000 purse for the pair, but insists on a winner's and loser's end.

The second club, conducted by Hugh McIntosh, is ready to give Johnson $25,000 for his end during the Coronation week.

The bout between Sam Langford and Bill Lang of Australia, which was billed to take place in London, February 15, has been postponed till February 22.

Langford is in superb form and is certain he will take the measure of Lang well within ten rounds. He regards the international battle as setup all over, with the exception of the shooting.

London is asking cash, according to Woodman, the poorest quality of bouts drawing $2,500 houses. It looks as if Sam and Joe should take down a very good stake of the "coin" before Hess meeting with Lang on Wednesday week.

TWO BROCKTON BOUTS STOPPED BY REFEREE

BROCKTON, Feb. 10.—So poor were five of the bouts at the Shoe City A. C. that Referee Abbott stopped both after the members had put up some little "cyclones."

The final bout between Jim Powers and Kid Comerford, both of this city, was stopped in the third round after Comerford had been knocked down three times.

Jimmy Reardon of this city and Young Eagan of Boston (set in what guise expected to be the best bout. They agreed to a draw if both were on their feet at the end of the sixth round. They gave us a poor exhibition that the bout was stopped at the end of the fourth.

The other bouts on the card were good. Dave Bosshee will meet Eddie Sherlin here next week.

AD WOLGAST GETS IN "IN BAD" CLUB

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 10.—"Jack" O'Brien, of the American Athletic Club, announced that because of Ad Wolgast's poor showing against "Knockout" Brown last night, he has called off the six-round bout between Wolgast and Packy McFarland, which was to have been held at the American A. C. on February 22.

O'Brien later matched Brown with Mc-Farland for the same date.

Wolgast left the city presumably for New York, before he left, it is said he declared that he was through with six-round bouts.

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No. 45

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Time and again advertising has developed a retail business into a national one. Often a man has done business on a retailed product in his store that he eventually found had a national demand which he could create through advertising.

A German had a drug store on the corner of two streets in a New Jersey city. He sold good proprietary articles, one or two of which he made up himself. One powder, in particular, had excellent merit, and a local demand was little by little created for it. He might have confined his efforts and a local demand was little by little created for it. He might have confined his efforts to a small local business had not an advertising man met him one day and convinced him of the value of making his admirable powder nationally known.

He hadn't much money, but he began in a small way. Little by little the commodity was pushed by all sorts of advertising. A company was organized to handle it on a larger scale, and soon from coast to coast, from the Canadian line to the Gulf, his powder was known and his picture was recognized as his trademark by every magazine in the country, by every woman who used a powder.

Eventually he d'ed, leaving his wife a fortune and the good will of the business, which has a value considerably over a million dollars.

If you have a desirable commodity, or if you have a service to offer, advertising will widen your market and convert it from a local into a national product. The best way to create a local demand for proprietary articles is local advertising and local advertising means newspaper advertising. There is a force to newspaper advertising that is greater than any other. The newspaper that goes into every home is the newspaper that can carry your story more widely than any other.

The Boston American has a wide circulation in New England, and in and around Boston has a larger circulation than any other paper. It reaches daily almost 400,000 readers. We shall be glad to have you communicate with us if you have anything that you think should have a market.

Address Trade Aid Department, Boston American.

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It Happened in Ringland — By Tad

JIM SHORTSIL HAD A DEAF AND DUMB FIGHTER AT HIS BEDFORD CLUB FOR AWHILE WHO LOOKED TO BE A CHAMP. THE TROUBLE WAS SAYS JIM "HE COULDNT HEAR THE BELL AND I HAD TO SQUIRT SELTZER WATER AT HIM THE SELTZER COST MORE THAN HE COULD EARN. I CANNED HIM.
JEM DRISCOLL MADE AN AWFUL BOOB OF LEACH CROSS AT AN EASTERN CLUB. FOR FIVE ROUNDS LEACH DIDNT COME WITHIN THREE FEET OF JEM AND WAS WORRIED TO DEATH. HE TRIED EVERYTHING AND FAILED. FINALLY A BUTTON HOLE MAKER IN THE REAR YELLED "PANIC LEACH" AND HE DID
WHATS HE DOING UP THERE?
WHO-WHERE-WHAT
JACK O'BRIEN WAS KNOCKED OUT BY KETCHEL IN OHIO AND WHEN HE AROSE STARTED LOOKING UP AT THE CEILING AFTERWARDS HE SAID HE THOUGHT THAT STEVE WAS UP THERE DROPPING ANVILS ON HIM.
YOUNG CORBETT RIDDED DAVE SULLIVAN TO DEATH IN THEIR FRISCO BATTLE IN THE 6TH ROUND HE SAID TO DAVE "YOU CAME FROM CORK DIDNT YOU" "I DID" PIPED DAVE "WELL" PIPED CORBETT "YOU CAME A LONG WAY TO GET THIS" AND BAM A LONG LEFT HOOK BUMPED DAVE UPON THE STARBOARD GLIM.
YOU CAME FROM CORK EH? WELL YOU CAME A LONG WAY TO GET THIS — $5
DUMMY MANSON JUST BEFORE HIS BATTLE AT THE BRIGHTON BEACH CLUB THE OTHER NIGHT STARED TO TALK TO HIS MANAGER WITH HIS GLOVES ON. SUDDENLY HE TUMBLED AND LAUGHED LIKE A HORSE.

TIME UP FOR MR. FLETCHER

Unless D. A. Fletcher, the third baseman, gets busy and scrapes up a new matter of $800,000 or so, it is good night to any third league plans for 1911. And all that must happen today.

At midnight to-night his option on the services of about ninety baseball stars expires. They were to receive $10,000 apiece, provided Fletcher got the money.

And, meanwhile, those ninety players are in just $1,000, that was given them as a present when Fletcher first came across with his proposition. This money was given them merely to bind them to an optional contract. Talk about easy money!

Here was the proposition: "Give me your written promise now," said Fletcher, "to play in my third league, and I will give you $1,000. That is to be all your own, with no concern whatever.

"This will give me an option on your services until February, and time to engage my pigs for franchises, parks, and so on. In February, and not until then, you will sign actual contracts to play in my league, and when you sign these contracts, I will give you a bonus of $10,000 cash.

The $900,000 is not in sight.

RUSSELL DENIES BASKETBALL STORY

E. H. Russell, chairman of the registration committee of the Athletic League of North America, has sent out an official denial of the story published to the effect that certain members of the Boston and Chelsea Y. M. C. A. basketball teams, having been disqualified, had formed a new professional team. The applications for reinstatement are now in the hands of the committee.

The Chelsea team was not suspended, although one of its men was disqualified for playing under an assumed name.

PLAY BALL! WANT GAMES? RIGHT HERE

COME on, you amateur and semi-professional baseball players! Out with your challenges. Go to it. The Winter ds on the wane and soon you'll begin to hear the old and familiar "Play ball." Don't be lost in the shuffle. It is the wideawake manager who arranges his schedule early and gets the choice dates.

As usual, the AMERICAN will be the headquarters of all the amateur and semi-professional baseball teams. The AMERICAN'S sporting pages are open to all. Send in your challenges NOW. Address all challenges to the BASEBALL EDITOR, AMERICAN, 30-32 SUMMER STREET, CITY.

REITER QUITS AT WESLEYAN

MIDDLETOWN, Ct., Feb. 10.—After seven years as head of Wesleyan University athletics and director of physical training, Howard R. ("Bosey") Reiter today announced his resignation, to go into effect next June. Mr. Reiter will accept a similar position at Lehigh University, where he coached football last Fall. While at Princeton, Reiter played on the 1895, 1896 and 1899 championship football elevens. Later he coached the Philadelphia Athletics' football team and in 1903-04 coached Wesleyan so successfully that the faculty appointed him director of the gymnasium. For the past three Summers he has taught "The Theory and Practice of Football" at the Harvard Summer School of Physical Education, from which he was graduated in 1906.

WE ARE ENLARGING OUR

MEN'S SHOE SHOP

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We have taken over the store formerly occupied by the Frank A. Andrews Co. at **10 School street**, and will join that store to our present quarters as soon as the workmen can make changes.

To save needless handling of stock during this enlargement process, we have marked our entire line of seasonable shoes as low as is consistent with business prudence. The stock embraces everything that is high-grade in men's fine shoes and boots, selling at **$5 the pair up to $10.50 the pair** in regular stock patterns.

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All shoes, regularly priced at $5.50	$3.95
All shoes, regularly priced at $6.00	$4.25
All shoes, regularly priced at $6.50	$4.50
All shoes, regularly priced at $7.00	$4.75
All shoes, regularly priced at $7.50	$5.25
All shoes, regularly priced at $8.00	$5.50
All shoes, regularly priced at $8.50	$6.00
All shoes, regularly priced at $9.50	$7.00
All shoes, regularly priced at $10.50	$8.00

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MEN'S SHOES

14 SCHOOL STREET

GOOD BOUTS AT HYDE PARK

The Hyde Park A. A. has arranged a first-class feature bout for its show next Monday night. Matchmaker Mallen, who witnessed the contest Tuesday night between Kid Sealer of Spokane, Washington, and George Alger of Cambridge, was so impressed with Sealer's showing that he matched him against Alger to meet Billy Nixon of Cambridge in the feature bout.

Nixon, who is one of the most likely boys in this section, is bound to make the Spokane lightweight bring all the knowledge that he possesses into play.

Sealer is anxious to prove that he is a much better boxer, as he took the Alger bout in part a whirlwind affair. In meeting Nixon, his meal will certainly be tested. The boys are to be listed at weight, 135 pounds ringside, and the stars them on an equal terms. Sealer looked good to a whole lot of fans who saw him in his initial bout here, and there is bound to be a big crowd of enthusiasts out at the Hyde Park club Monday to again see the Kid in action.

Three good preliminaries will be announced between some of the best local boys available.

CHANGE IN PRELIMS AT ARMORY FEB. 14

The preliminaries to the Frank Klaus-Leo Houck bout at the Armory next week will be Freddie O'Brien of Chelsea vs. Young Jasper of the West End, Joe Nelson of Lawrence against Bobby Connors of Everett and George Perry of the West End against Joe Geary of Roxbury. Young McDonough of Manchester was to have appeared in the semi-final, but his manager decided it was unwise for him to take a match at Brockton Wednesday night.

EXETER CRACKS TO MEET NATION'S BEST

EXETER, N. H., Feb. 10.—Phillips Exeter Academy athletes are in top notch condition for the B. A. A. meet. Thirteen athletes, under George Connors' aggregation, will be seen on the boards.

Philip Bingham, the champion schoolboy half-mile runner, but who has outgrown the age limit, this year will be on the starting line in the 600-yard, and he will have such performers as Harry Gissing and Mel Sheppard to contend against.

EDDIE MURPHY HITS HAY IN THE THIRD

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—With a short right hook that landed flush on the jaw, Barney Sunshine, of East New York, knocked out Eddie Murphy in the third round of their scheduled ten-round bout at the Independent A. C. in Brooklyn.

DORCHESTER WANTS GAME.

The strong Dorchester A. A. basketball team is without a game for to-morrow night and would like to hear from some strong team for a game away from home. J. W. Perry, 15 Melton street, Dorchester. Telephone 452-4.

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SPORTS of all SORTS BY RILEY

THE BOSTON YACHT CLUB announces a membership of 846, and a total of 322 cents, which will go its pennant this year. This popular organization is upon the high wave of success, and that it may enjoy every good fortune is the slogan of those who know its members best. This reminds the writer of a toast offered by the late Colonel Somnes of Virginia, who was host at the wedding of one of the sons and daughters of the Old Dominion. As the chaise drew upon the lawn of the old Virginia estate, which was to be the future home of the happy pair, the gray-haired veteran of eighty-seven of the Last Ditches of the stars and bars, stepped lightly across the pathway, and raising a glass of burgundy announced: "I wish you all the success and joy you most deserve, and I look forward to even more than you can possibly anticipate. And such is a fitting toast indeed for the future of the Boston Yacht Club.

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JOHN SHEPARD, THE WINTER STREET merchant, and dean of Boston haberdicers, was a leading figure in the opening races over the snowpath upon the Charles River speedway. This country needs a few more sportsmen than this master of two generations. In all the world there is no man who bears out, as Mel Sheppard does, the pleasing philosophy of the late Charles Dana Gibson: "Fit only as old as he looks and he looks as young as he feels." Mel Sheppard seems to be prototype of the famous playwright.

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THE BOSTON RUSTLERS RECEIVED nearly twice more than the waiver price of $1,500 from the baseball club for the release of Bick, the Illinois outfielder and one of the lightest domed gardeners who ever frisked over the South End grounds. There have been instances of some pretty fierce waiver scrambles, but Wat Lajoie's last scrap ground, but Beck was right in the first class. Rudolph Bostrom, the Danish-Irish ranger, who has outgrown the age limit, this year will be on the starting line in the 600-yard, and he will have such performers as Harry Gissing and Mel Sheppard to contend against.

"I HAVE BEEN SOMEWHAT OF A sportsman to my time," said the old fellow in the grey frock and wearing the black stud, as he leaned against the mahogany at the Brewster. "I have fished in the fiords of Norway, hunted big game in India, was Sullivan in all his prime, and then, witnessed the English derby at Epsom Downs three times from a vantage point opposite Tottenham Court Road. I have seen every one Harvard boat race and football game for twenty years, and have sat in at a game of poker with some the greatest Americans and continental has produced. But there is only one sport in the world for me, son, and that is to be found on the rock-bound coast of Maine when the ice is gone and the season is young.

"And you mustn't take too many liberties with these Tree State people either, at that. Last year our colored cook at camp cursed me some great big whoppers of cakes. There was no maple syrup in camp, and I went to a near-by, called a store, to get the same.

"Have you any maple syrup?" I asked a freckled-faced girl of seven, who waited on me.

"No we ain't got none, but we got some fine, fresh maple sugar, and you can melt it right some."

"The little woman went up on the top shelf and brought down some of the famous Vermont product, covered with fly specks, and looking as if it had been in stock five years at least.

"'Here you are,' said the woman, that this maple sugar was fresh; don't you see all them fly specks?'

"Well, you see, Mister, we get the flies early and they come to camp with the dried currants.'

And the old sportsman said he bought, and ran away as quickly as possible.

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WOULD IT NOT SERVE AN EXCELlent purpose if these masters of the wrestling game would secure a new outlet of press agents. The latest spiel sent out of the willingness of Frank Gotch to wrestle Hackenschmidt for a stake of $50,000, is so rank that it actually seems as if somebody had dropped a portion of limberg over the furnace register. Any American sportsmen who enjoy the game of wrestling are patient and long suffering, but these press agent evaporations are surely almost the worst ever heard since somebody watered the track along the road from Dan to Beersheba.

LOCAL SEVEN TO PLAY CANADIANS

Canada will send its best hockey team to the Quebec Province to Boston Monday night in the Sherbrooke seven, which comes here prepared to show us what the real canadian article of ice hockey is when played by experts.

It remains upon the Boston hockey team, recognized as about the best amateur seven in America, to give the Canadians a setback. The occasion Monday night at the Boston Arena will be the one big chance of the local hockeyists to make themselves famous by rumbling the invaders, who expect to walk off with an easy victory.

The Sherbrooke boys will not want for encouragement in the game when it comes to a matter of support, as the rink will be packed with Canadian sympathizers who have been in the habit of attending the numerous contests that are held up in the snow land.

Special invitations have been sent to the officials of the leading Canadian clubs around Boston, and a number of dignitants from the Dominion in the many small towns and cities for miles around the Hub will make it a point to be on hand to cheer for the visiting seven.

The Quebec champions have a big following and are sure to put up a great battle.

WANT BOSTON SEVEN TO PLAY IN GOTHAM

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Overtures are being made by the St. Nicholas Rink management to the Boston Hockey Club for a match with the Crescents of Brooklyn, present holders of the local series, for a national championship match later in the season. The Boston Arena is also negotiating for the match. Since the Boston Club, by comparative scores, has displayed better hockey than the New York teams, local fans are anxious to see the Beansters in a match here.

TECH CONFIDENT IT WILL DEFEAT GREEN

Technology's one-mile relay team which meets Dartmouth at the B. A. A. games to-morrow night, encouraged by their recent victory over the Harvard team at the Armory A. A. meet in Providence, are confident of their ability to defeat the Hanover runners.

Coach Frank Kanaly has been working hard with the institute runners since the Providence meet and looks for a fine showing by them.

YALE PICKS RELAY TEAM OF FRESHIES

NEW HAVEN, Feb. 10.—Yale's freshman relay team was picked as follows today for the 1914 relay race with Harvard in Boston, Saturday: Davis, McClinton, Barlow and Morris, with Platt as reserve man. McClintock and Barlow left the Infirmary only on Tuesday.

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STAR ATHLETES HERE FOR MEET

The advance guard of the regiment of athletes who will compete in the B. A. A. games at Mechanics Building to-morrow night, hit Boston early.

Joe Horner, the Michigan shot-putter and all-round athlete, led the invaders. He was followed by other stars anxious to be on the battleground early.

The representatives of the New York clubs arrive early to-night. They have quarters at the Copley Square Hotel, as have the athletes from Georgetown University.

The stellar attractions of the games promise to be the Hunter mile and the Harvard-Yale relay race. The opening event, the forty-yard handicap, will start at 8:30, and the relay race between the Crimson and the Blue, which will be the last event on the program, should be over by 11:30.

The Hunter mile has 22 entries George V. Bonhag, A. R. Kivlat and J. W. Moangeot, of the Irish-American A. C.; O. F. Dedrick, of the Brooklyn Gymnasium Association; P. S. Harmon and Franz R. Marcoux, of Dartmouth; D. V. Noble, of New York A. C., and Jack Tait, of the West Deer Park A. C. A. of Toronto.

A record entry has been received for the 600 yards run. J. M. Rosenberger, Mel Sheppard, of the Irish-American A. C.; Harry Gissing, of the New York A. C., and C. D. Reidpath, of the Syracuse University, are the scratch men, while four yards in front are "Bob" Terwilliger, of the Brooklyn Y. M. C. A.; Frank N. Riley, of the Irish-American A. C., and R. T. Edwards, of the New York A. C. "Dan" Ekstrand and Bill Robbins, of the Irish-American A. C.; Samuel May, of Yale; J. Burke, of Worcester Academy; Harry Ayscough, of Dartmouth; D. B. Young, of Amherst; E. Frick and Carl Walther, of New York A. C., and Max Kirjasoff, of Waterbury, Ct., are the other five marked men.

Mel Sheppard shares the place of honor at scratch in the 1000 yards run with Abel R. Kiviat, of the Irish-American A. C.; Captain Riley and Jack Monument, of the winged foot organization; Carl Comstock mailed, and Ted S. Berna, another Irishman of the Irish-American Academy; Dick Egan and J. P. Sullivan, of the Irish-American A. C., are the five marked men of a field of seventy entries.

The one-mile relay, the forty-yard handicap are Bobby Clougher and Jack Fuller, of New York; Arthur Lukeman, of Canada; Bill Keating, of New York; McArthur, of Cornell, and Bowser, of South Dakota, are among the bow-mark men in the forty-yard invitation. Frank O'Hara, of the B. A. A.; Tex. Rankell, of Pennsylvania; Rosenberger, of New York; Clougher, of New York; Keating, of New York, and Joe Horner, of Michigan, will be among the prominent starters.

Harvard will have four relay teams in the meet. The first varsity team will compete against Yale, each man to run six laps or 750 yards. The Crimson runners will also meet Princeton and Williams at a shorter distance, and the Harvard and Yale freshmen will also meet in a team race.

BATES SENDS FIVE ATHLETES TO MEET

LEWISTON, Me., Feb. 10.—The Bates Cross Country team will take part in the B. A. A. meet in Boston to-morrow as announced as follows: Ray Thompson, '12, of Auburn; Harry Dudley, '13, of Cambridge; Eugene Lovely, '13, of Gardiner, Me., and Captain Vaughn Blanchard, '12, of Manchester, N. H. It was also announced that Captain Blanchard and Barry Wescott, '12, of Portland, will run in the hurdles.

The Bates men have been practicing hard and are in fine condition. A large number of the students will accompany the track team, leaving Lewiston at 7:15 to-morrow morning.

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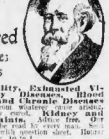

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BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

"HACK" FAILS TO THROW ZBYSZKO IN 90-MINUTE BATTLE

Jeff Is Strong on Footwork, but a Trifle Weak with the Punch — *By "Bud" Fisher*

JEFF, I'VE GOT A GREAT SCHEME TO GET EVEN WITH THAT GUY WHO INSULTED YOU YESTERDAY. I'LL GET HIM INTO A CONVERSATION AND YOU CAN SNEAK UP BEHIND AND TAKE A CAREFUL AIM AT HIS JAW AND KNOCK HIM DEAD
YES, HE OPENS WITH FOUR ACES AND BETS FIVE CHIPS. I STAY WITH THREE KINGS AND RAISE'S HIM BACK AND—
HE SEES MY RAISE AND RAISES ME BACK TWICE AND I CALLS HIM AND—
Bam!
THE FUNNY PART OF IT IS— I LAYS DOWN MY THREE KINGS AND HE SAYS "YOU WIN" I ONLY GOT TWO PAIR OF ACES— TEE HEE!
HE THOUGHT HIS FOUR ACES WAS TWO PAIR, CAN YOU BEAT IT?
WELL, SO LONG, MUTT, I GOTTA RUN ALONG. SEE YOU LATER, SO, LONG!

IT'S A SCREAM——MUTT AND JEFF IN NEXT SUNDAY'S BOSTON AMERICAN——DON'T MISS IT.

'BLACK HOPE' KNOCKED OUT

NEW YORK, Feb. 10. — Morris Harris, a Philadelphia boy who holds George Cotton, who Jack Johnson claimed to be the world's best heavyweight, to a draw in a ten-round bout at the National Sporting Club last night, received a hard call to the stomach. Cotton went down slowly when hit and then refused to get up, leaving the ring without the assistance of his seconds. The referee gave the round and bout to Harris. Cotton had enough air pumped from the ring.

It was Black Night at the National Sporting Club, as the preliminaries being negotiated by Matty Baldwin, manager of Harris, and Jack Curley, manager of Cotton, were also between colored boxers. Sam Langford, the Boston Tar Baby, was the star of the evening, and he made short work of Jack Blackburn, the Chicago negro, who was substituted for Sam McVea, who was ill. Langford knocked out Blackburn in the second round of a scheduled ten-round bout.

Joe Jeannette, the Coney Island Clown, was to have met Jim Barry, the Australian heavyweight champion, but Barry failed to appear, and Jeannette was substituted for Barry. Jeannette was given the decision over Jim Smith, a local negro, after four rounds of fighting.

Jack Johnson, who was to have been the referee, was unable to be present, owing to the fact that he was detained in Paris by the French authorities.

Who's Who IN BASKETBALL

JOHN H. NEARY—NO 30.

John H. Neary was born [illegible] Natick boy came in to the limelight as a basketball player while attending Natick high school, where he starred for the Redmen. He played for Holy Cross and Georgetown, and was a member of the Boston A. C. team of [illegible] Neary is a member of the Basketball Committee of the Amateur Athletic Union, and has been prominently identified with basketball for many years. He is a member of the Boston A. C. team of the present season.

EDDIE MURPHY IN STAR ARMORY BOUT

Eddie Murphy, the popular South Boston lightweight, will be seen in action at the Armory A. A. tonight, when he meets Sammy Smith, the sensational New York lightweight, in a ten-round bout at the Armory A. A. Tommy [illegible] Murphy has been looked upon as a coming champion of the world.

"DANCING MASTER" BEATS HARRY STONE

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Young Abearn, of Brooklyn, won another bout when he defeated Harry Stone, of the East Side, in the star event of ten rounds at the Brooklyn Brighton A. C. Stone held the "dancing master" title to the first four rounds, but after that Abearn had all the better of it.

HARVARD CUBS AT B. A. A. MEET

The freshmen relay team of Harvard will represent Harvard against the Intercollegiate A. A. A. A. three-mile relay championship at the B. A. A. meet tomorrow night. The freshmen team is composed of W. T. Abbott, R. K. Reynolds, A. J. Gosselin and J. T. O'Brien.

The Harvard freshmen team is to be an exceptionally fast quartet and with any kind of a break on the board track should have everything their own way in the event, which is always one of the features of the meet.

Allen, who is captain of the team, was one of the star members of the Cambridge team last year and showed up well in the event. He is the fastest man on the team, and if he runs his best race he will have no trouble in winning his leg. Abbott, who will run the second leg, is also a fast man, and should do his share.

Gosselin, who will run the third leg, is a fast man, and should do his share. He is the speediest man in Harvard circles at present. He is doing a splendid record for the season in the 440-yard dash, and should do his share.

O'Brien, who will run the anchor leg, is a fast man, and should do his share. He is the speediest man in Harvard circles at present. He is doing a splendid record for the season in the 440-yard dash, and should do his share.

NELSON DEFEATS KID MURPHY AT LAWRENCE

LAWRENCE, Feb. 10. — Battling Nelson of Brooklyn got the decision over "Kid" Murphy of Lawrence in a twelve-round bout at the Lowell Club. Murphy was knocked down in the eleventh round and the bell saved him from being counted out.

LUNDIN MEETS STEURS.

LEOMINSTER, Feb. 10. — Hjalmar Lundin, the Worcester wrestler, meets Alphonse Steurs, the Belgian champion, at Music Hall tonight. The match is to be in catch-as-catch-can and the man secures the best two falls out of the three will be declared the winner.

HACK FAILS TO THROW ZBYSZKO

NEW YORK, Feb. 10. — Stanislaus Zbyszko, the Middle [illegible] wrestling match with [illegible] Hackenschmidt, the Russian champion, at Madison Square Garden, nothing [illegible] to no one, the terms of the match [illegible] agreed to throw the Russian [illegible] minutes. The Russian [illegible] this as he had was made to [illegible] the stipulated time.

Zbyszko put [illegible] Hack [illegible] only failed to throw him [illegible] was down [illegible] on top, holding the advantage [illegible] tion.

The Pole was the aggressor throughout the match, [illegible] Hackenschmidt. True to his threat that he would [illegible] the Russian [illegible] was only [illegible] at no time showed [illegible] ing, using him about as [illegible] being [illegible] passed just as [illegible] was Hack and was [illegible] showing for Russian [illegible] decision of [illegible]

Hack was on the defensive [illegible] the time. His attempts at [illegible] only [illegible] Zbyszko [illegible] to wrestle [illegible] Hack's [illegible] Zbyszko [illegible] Hack's [illegible] equal, if not [illegible]

YALE AND PRINCETON FIX DATE FOR MEET

PRINCETON, N. J., Feb. 10. — Princeton and Yale are to hold a dual track meet [illegible] New Haven on [illegible] tournament, but made [illegible] the annual meet of the [illegible] from Harvard to Princeton [illegible] scheduled for a dual meet, but will compete with all the colleges in the East with membership in the Intercollegiate Amateur Association, the place for which has not been decided on, but the dates for which have been fixed as May 26 and 27.

J. P. WAGNER DRAWN ON JURY—IT'S HONUS

PITTSBURG, Feb. 10. — John P. (Honus) Wagner, the shortstop of the Pittsburg National League baseball team, has been drawn as a juror for the May term of court. Wagner is now in the south for the training quarters at West Baden, Ind., on March 6, and it will be necessary to obtain the consent of the Court before he can leave [illegible]

KILBANE NEARLY OUT; REFEREE STOPS BOUT

NEW YORK, Feb. 10. — Johnny Daly, of the [illegible] was substituted [illegible] Kilbane [illegible] Abe Leonard [illegible] this afternoon at the Criterion A. C. [illegible] Leonard [illegible] in the fourth session, the referee [illegible]

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The Folly of Being Funny

By DOROTHY DIX

IN one of his letters, [illegible] discourses on [illegible] says his [illegible] tation as a [illegible] says

"There is a [illegible] absolutely [illegible] valuable [illegible] spectable [illegible] fits of [illegible] criminate [illegible] and [illegible] They [illegible] and a [illegible] spectel [illegible] either [illegible] you [illegible] gives [illegible] and keep [illegible] stitled de[illegible] of esteem [illegible]

In [illegible] thought it [illegible] out [illegible] the world [illegible] had been [illegible] of his [illegible] in life, he [illegible] the same [illegible] and [illegible] in esteem.

It's Suicide for a Woman

For if it is folly for a man [illegible] be fatal [illegible] for a woman [illegible] commit half of [illegible] than to be [illegible] white as for wit, it is the gift of the Evil Fairy, when it is laid on a girl baby's cradle, that fated some her to go [illegible] life castrated [illegible]

There has [illegible] women [illegible] sense of [illegible] last two [illegible] Women have a [illegible] even a mediocre [illegible] wiser among [illegible] enough not to [illegible]

Nothing else [illegible] a man [illegible] [illegible] her to [illegible] strong [illegible] to keep [illegible] where [illegible] sense, as to [illegible] strings. If [illegible] mean of [illegible] the candle [illegible]

It is [illegible] of humor [illegible] total [illegible] quality [illegible] found out. [illegible] is discovered.

Men Fear a Witty Woman

Men fear her, and other women distrust her if she is given to mirth; for women's keen wits [illegible] are [illegible] the only [illegible] and [illegible] woman gets [illegible] first [illegible] was the public, and it [illegible]

A girl who is [illegible] to flirt [illegible] poets, is more [illegible] popular with men, but that is as far as

Giggling a Capital Offence

As for [illegible]

It is [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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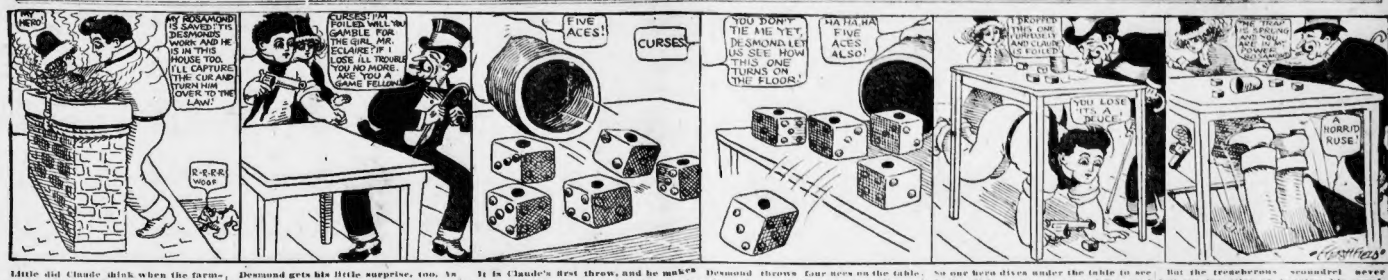
MY HERO
MY ROSAMOND IS SAVED! 'TIS DESMOND! MUSIC AND HE IS IN THIS HOUSE TOO. I'LL CAPTURE THE CUR AND TURN HIM OVER TO THE LAW!
R-R-R-R WOOF
CURSES! I'M FOILED. WILL YOU GAMBLE FOR THE GIRL, MR. ECLAIRE? IF SO I'LL TROUBLE YOU NO MORE. LET'S TOSS A GAME FELLOW
FIVE ACES!
CURSES
YOU DON'T TIE ME YET, DESMOND. LET US SEE HOW THIS ONE TURNS ON THE FLOOR!
HA HA HA FIVE ACES ALSO!
I PROPHESY THIS CAME DIRECTLY INTO CLAUDE'S HAND. HE IS FOILED!
YOU LOSE IT'S A DEUCE
THE TRAP AND YOU AND I WILL HAVE A NICE LITTLE CHAT
HORRID RUSE

Little did Claude think when the farmer's dog chased him on the road that he would find Rosamond there died fast in the chimney while Desmond was fanning the flames in the fireplace down below. Life is full of little surprises. That's why we have them in the drama, which aims to depict life as it is.

Desmond gets his little surprise, too, in the shape of a bullet which he sees whizzing over the supposed fate of his victims both of them suddenly appear before him alive and well. The villain, seeing that he is at Claude's mercy, suggests that they throw dice for Rosamond, and our hero, like the big booh he is, falls for it.

It is Claude's first throw, and he makes five aces. Desmond can't beat that, and there's only about one chance in a thousand of his tying it. If he fails to do that Claude wins, and the villain must leave him and Rosamond in peace for the rest of their lives, providing, of course, that his promise is on the level.

Desmond throws four aces on the table, and one just over the edge. According to the throw does not count, and the villain must try again.

But Claude, not accustomed to gambling, knows nothing whatever about the rules of the game. He agrees to let the die count as it lies on the floor. Isn't he the easy mark?

So one hero dives under the table to see whether it is an ace or not, and Desmond agrees to take his word for it. There's something very suspicious about that, to our mind. Well, anyhow, it's a device, and our brave hero wins the throw. Now, it's up to Desperate Desmond to make good on that promise of his.

But the treacherous scoundrel never had any intention of keeping his word. He relied that die on the table on purpose to make Claude dive for it, knowing that when he did so he would drop through the trap door into the cellar. It serves Claude right for gambling. Tomorrow's pictures will show what happened in the cellar.

Advice to Lovelorn

BETTER BE CAREFUL

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a girl eighteen years of age and have known a young man for the past four years and like him very much.

Now, what I would like to know is how can I become friends with him again, as I have not seen him for more than a year and how often have I passed him on the street as if I didn't see him.

I am of a very bashful disposition and know that he has found out that I like him very much, although I know that he does not think of me in anything but a friendly way.

I would like to organize a party and would like to invite him, but do not want him to think I am running after him.

If I should meet him on the street would it be right for me to invite him?

ANXIOUS.

My dear, if he knows that you like him, don't you think that is sufficient encouragement if he cares to take advantage of it? Ask him to your party if you want to, but be very careful that he does not guess that you are running after him.

WHAT ARE HIS TASTES?

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a young girl about nineteen years of age. I think a great deal about a young man just about the same age. I have been going with him for quite a while now and for Christmas he gave me a very suitable present. His birthday is this month and what would you advise me to give him? I am very doubtful about giving presents, and for this reason I seek your advice.

J. A. C.

You must be guided by his tastes. If he is studious, give him a book. If that will not suit, why not make him a necktie or something nice for his room. Do not give him an expensive present.

NEW SPRING TRIMMINGS—Lady Duff-Gordon will devote a page to explaining and illustrating them in the Sunday AMERICAN.

He Was the Original Hoodoo

"Is the train going to be on time?" asked the tall, sallow man at the village station, who had just bought a ticket to Squashville, seven miles down the line. He had the air of one who was prepared for the worst.

"It may be a few minutes late," replied the agent politely.

"Ugh! Still that four or five hours late, if it gets here at all," said the sallow man. "I've been dreading this trip for weeks. I postponed it time after time, but at last I saw I had to go. I feel dead sure that something unpleasant will happen. The train'll jump the track, or the locomotive will explode, or the eggnog'll have a fit, or something. It's just my luck. I have the all dreadest luck when I'm traveling that you ever heard of."

"You don't need to worry," said the agent. "There hasn't been an accident on the line between here and Squashville in twenty years."

"That's because I haven't been traveling on your road," said the sallow man. "You'll see the accidents begin as soon as I get aboard the train. There'll be a head-on collision before we get out of Jonesville."

"The last time I rode on the railway the engine ran into an old hen coop and the whole train was piled up in the ditch, and I was under most of it."

"I can show you scars where a stove fell out of the baggage car and landed on me and covered me with red hot coals."

"Then the locomotive reared down to where I was and began squirting steam at me and I was cooked to a turn before they dug me out and put me to soak in a vat of arnica."

"Oh, I tell you, partner, I'm the original hoodoo when I go travelling."

"I had to go to Squashville, a couple of years ago, and I was so blamed afraid of the railway trip that I hired a livery team and buggy and drove there.

"At least I started to drive, but I'm a Jonah, no matter whether I travel in a buggy or in a train.

"The horses ran away and that buggy crumpled up like an old concertina, and I was thrown about a quarter of a mile and landed on a barb wire fence, and I could show you scars that would take your breath away.

"The horses ran into the river and drowned themselves, and the liveryman brought suit against me, and the case is still in court. I've spent all my savings for lawyers and they tell me I'll win in the end, but I haven't believed it in the end. I'll have to pay enough for that team to buy a menagerie, you see if I don't.

"A few months ago I had to make a flying trip and I was so afraid of the rail way and of horses that a neighbor of mine offered to take me in his automobile.

"Well, he hadn't gone a mile before something went wrong with the steering apparatus, and that fool automobile jumped over an embankment and landed up in a stone quarry about half a mile deep. I got out alive, but if you saw the scars that experience left on me you would wring your hands."

"Why don't you walk if you have such bum riding?" asked the agent.

"I've tried that, and I was up against it harder than ever. All the dogs along the line of march seemed to be hungry, and the way they tried to meet me—here he stopped and looked down the road. "Was that my train I heard whistling?" he asked.

When a Man Is Family Man

By KENNETT HARRIS

WHEN a fellow is living alone,
He can quaff of a cup overflowing,
He can work or get on as a drone,
No one cares for his coming or going,
His wild oats he can briskly be sowing,
But the pace he will have to be slowing
When he finds a fair maiden to woo,
That so quickly and smartly he rat;
There will soon be a family growing
When a man is a family man.

WHEN he's single no boss he goed own;
It's his own little row that he's hoeing
He can roll—if he's that sort of stone—
He as free as the winds that are blowing
But the pace he will have to be slowing
That so quickly and smartly he rat;
There will soon be a family growing
When a man is a family man.

THEN his sins he will have to atone,
He must, then, make a different showing,
He will reap the wild oats he has sown,
He must pay up the debts he is owing
He must save up the scraps he's been throwing,
He must live by some system and plan,
Life is seldom so restly glowing
When a man is a family man.

L'ENVOI

SON, the mark you will have to be toeing,
And its getting high time you began.
You will find that your back must be bowing
When a man is a family man.

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NOTHING BUT TROUBLE !! SHRIMP FLYNN TRIES TO BE A PRACTICAL JOKER—
THERE SEEMS TO BE NO WAY OF GUESSING WHAT WILL HAPPEN NEXT IN THE YUNG AMERIKA MALGUMATED RESERCH SOCIETY. WE EXPECTED TO BE ABLE TO CHRONICLE SOMETHING ABOUT THE FORMING OF A FIRE INSURANCE AGENCY TO-DAY, BUT THERE WAS SO MUCH OTHER EXCITEMENT YESTERDAY THAT NO ONE MENTIONED ANYTHING ABOUT BUSINESS
MARS SHRIMP FLYNN'S IMITATION BLOOD HOUND WAS PUT TO WORK TO PLAY A PART IN A JOKE ON SHINNY SHANER, BUT HE WENT TOO FAR AND BAILED EVERYTHING UP.
IT WILL BE REMEMBERED THAT FINNY MOCTON THE SLAYING ETTE, AND HER DOLL HAVE CAUSED THE SOCIETY SOME LITTLE TROUBLE - FROM YESTERDAYS DOINGS IT SEEMS HIGHLY PROBABLE THAT MORE WILL COME FROM THAT QUARTER IN THE NEAR FUTURE
HEY, COME HERE, WILL LET YE IN DAS!
FROM THIS POINT THE JOKE BEGAN TO LOOK SERIOUS - SHRIMP FLYNN DID NOT FIGURE THAT MARS WOULD DREAM OF RUNNING AWAY WITH THE DOLL
A LITTLE JOKE - MARS BEING SICKED ON SHINNY SHANER FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING HIM DROP EMILY MORTONS DOLL WHICH HE HAD FIXED UP WITH A WOODEN LEG, AND WAS ABOUT TO RETURN TO HER YESTERDAY
HOW IN THE WORLD MARS HAPPENED TO BREAK THROUGH THE DOOR IS A PUZZLE
THE TITLE OF THIS PICTURE SURROUNDED
A LETTER WHICH WAS SLIPPED UNDER THE DOOR OF HEADQUARTERS YESTERDAY. IT WAS SIGNED "MARS" AND WE ARE AFRAID WE MAY HAVE TO SEARCH FOR A CLUE!
AFTER THE EXCITEMENT

A Thrilling Story of the Highbinders of San Francisco

The Shadow of Quong Lung

Mystery of the Orient Transplanted to America :: By Dr. C. W. Doyle

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Read This Synopsis of the Preceding Instalment and begin This Thrilling Story To-day.

LEE MOY, the four-year-old son of Suey Yep, is discovered running with a strange waddling gait, with arms outstretched, in the streets of Chinatown, San Francisco. Suey Yep, the mother, follows screaming that he is drunk with "San Sha," a Chinese gin. The child runs into the wheels of a carriage in which sits a beautiful young white woman, who picks him up and, with his mother, drives to the Chinese child to a hospital.

There Suey Yep anxiously explains, after the doctor has treated her child's scalp wound, that little Lee has eaten all day long with folded hands and downcast, asking for the sun, "unless he get drunk."

"You see," she said in pidgin English, "you see, he no play with me or my friends, but sit and sit, and say nothing. So I give him San Shi—or, you, tea drink? And then he clap his hands, and say he see birds and flowers, and he laugh and sing, and then—my heart glad and dance. But he sit and no play—that is bad for Lee Moy. Eh, Light in Darkness!" she ended, addressing herself to the child.

And Lee Moy nods his little head and says in their own tongue: "Home, mother; take me home. It is night and the light sleepeth, so that I cannot see to play any more."

But it was nigh noon, and the sun shone.

When they were going, the doctor plucked at the Fair Samaritan's sleeve, telling her when he thought the mother could not hear.

"This is a strange case," he said. "That child is not only drunk, but he's blind—stone blind."

But the mother heard, and shrieked. She feared the White Devils, with their "evil eye."

"No! No! No!" she cried. "Let Mo no blind! Lee Moy only drunk! I do it myself, to make him happy."

And she grabbed up the child and darted from the hospital, to the wonder of those in the street.

The fair White Devil determined to see that the little fellow was returned to the hospital the next day. She had heard the woman say she was Suey Yep, of the household of Lee Chung, a merchant of Jackson street.

The doctors warned her that she would have trouble, but she was determined. She appeared before Lee Chung in the morrow, and after much bartering on her part, and hesitancy on his part, she won her point, by a big order of tea—more ten than Lee Chung had sold in many a day, for the fair White Devil was rich, and had a train of footmen on the carriage outside the store.

"Veily, well," he said. "Lee Mog up 'alee. You want see him? Velly well, I show you."

Lee Chung was one of the many victims of Chinatown, who had mortgaged his soul to Quong Lung, the most powerful man in the American Chinese metropolis, and the proceeds of that ten order would help to lift the shadow of that yellow hand from his shoulder.

CHAPTER III.

That Flowers May Grow in a Dark Room.

THIS is what the Fair Samaritan saw after she had climbed the dark stairs behind the store and peeped into a room that was in semi-darkness, whilst she composed Lee Chung with a warning finger that enforced silence.

It was a room of considerable dimensions, with a low ceiling. The windows were so ill-placed, besides being barricaded, that the room was in a twilight gloom, although the day was bright without. Its furniture was evidently disposed of against the walls, thus leaving a wide space in its midst. And in the room the Fair Samaritan saw Suey Yep was taking part with the little Lee Moy in what was evidently a daily occurrence.

With palms folded impiously before her, she remained in the doorway, her inexpressible love tinged with sadness. He was hitting wildly about him with a toy

He was hitting wildly about him with a big whip and shouting angrily

whip, and shouting angrily, his language, being punctuated by strong Anglo Saxon expletives.

"Damn you, mother! Why cometh not the sun?"

She submitted with a patience of an Oriental to the imperious language of my Lord, her Man-Child.

"Oh, son of mine," she replied with infinite tenderness; "the sun is still at Pekin, drying his hair—for he hath but now risen from his ocean bed. When he hath had his morning meat, and washed his face with dew, and decked himself with marigolds, he will master clouds of purple and gold and amber, and come to San Francisco."

Where the Sun Always Shines.

"Do they of Pekin see more of him than we do?"

"Yes, son. Oh, would we were there," she sighed; "for the sun always shines there, but here is is mostly dark."

"We will go there mother, at once!" He held up his hand for his mother to take.

"But it is a long and weary road from here to Pekin, and we must eat and drink before we start."

She gave him to a little table and set cakes before him and a cup of tea—fortified with a generous draught of sam shu.

When he had satisfied his appetite she prepared him another cup similarly sophisticated, and set it before him.

"Drink once more," she said, "for when we have left San Francisco we shall have no more fetish (tea) till we reach Pekin."

And the little man drank as he was directed and prepared for his daily flight across—the world.

"Mother," he said, "I would have thee remember that the white fee-sung (physician) will expect us soon. Hasten, therefore."

Round and round the room she led him in tortuous fashion.

"A great wind cometh," she said once; "and we are on the sea. Beware!" She fanned him vigorously, simulating a gale, while he drew a bone-ash's whistle from his blouse and blew it loudly.

"The passage is serious, my lord," said Suey Yep; "and we shall scarce weather the storm—unless we order it safe."

"Order it safe and proceed."

"Hear ahoy! that be me, Lord Captain?" "Throw Jonah overboard—he that the White Devils tell of in the Missions, where I go sometimes for the sweetmeats."

The Jonah Overboard.

"It is done, my Captain," said Suey Yep, overturning a chair, "and the great sea has swallowed him."

They resumed their journey about and the room she grizzling to and fro the while.

"The sea that was black and reflected the stars is paler, my Lord, and the moon hath fled."

"The morn cometh, mother."

"Canst see the light in the East, my little Lee Moy?"

"Yes, mother."

As she drew him past the household shrine she took therefrom a burning punk and waved it before his face.

"I perceive, too, the smoke of Pekin," said Lee Moy.

"'Tis thine, then to drink more tchah ere we set foot in the Flowery Land."

Once more she plied him with the tea that deceives.

"The sun cometh mother," he said soon after.

"Is he alone this morning?"

"No, mother; his attendants be with him in shining rates."

"Canst see the land ahead?"

"Yes, Suey Yep. Oh, make haste!"

"We are in sight, Great Provence," she said presently, as she called a halt.

"Oh, son of mine," she went on, "it was a great journey—one full of perils—and the way was dark! But we are now in our own country, and the young light is ahead. Is it not so?"

The Poetry of Sorrow.

The child let her hand go, and ran forward a step or two tentatively, with outstretched arms and with unsteady gait.

"Is this my meadow, mother?" he asked.

"Assuredly, Lee Moy; and see it is carpeted with flowers all sprangled with dew. Red are the flowers, and gold, and pink, and saffron, and the dew decorates it of many tints.

"See, my son, here is a bunch of violets and cherry blossoms—how fragrant they be!"—and she held a bunch of green leaves that had been dipped in a tincture of musk to his face.

"And the steed, Billy, is he here And my chariot?" he asked lickily.

"They await my bod."

After placing him by the wheel chair she donned a set of toy harness with jingling bells, and, yoking herself to the chair, she put the reins in his hands.

"Ship, ship, Billy!" she shouted, cracking his whip and swearing like a Saxon for the encouragement of his steed. "Ship, dammee!"

It was at this juncture that the Fair Samaritan made herself known to those in the room. She tapped on the toy drum that she had in her hand, thus arresting the progress of the scene she had will created.

"Good morning, Lee Moy. See what I have brought for you," and she slipped the drum strap over his head. "And here is a trumpet for both of your coming in the people of Pekin."

Lee Moy's Gratitude.

He did not understand the Fair Samaritan's words, but her voice was pleasant and friendly, and the drum and trumpet were certainly very real. He stretched his hand toward her, and Lee Chung said:

"Le Moy like feel him."

She took her hand to the little one, who lightly passed its hand over it, saying aloud, "Good, good!" After a pause he went on gravely, "I like you. I like to see you, with you."

Her visit was so short as she carried him down to her carriage, Suey Yep following in many wake and expressing the heartwhole joy of her mistress. Yet sang no tells be blind.

"Perhaps the yee-sung can make him see flowers and dance all the time, Suey Yep, without making him drink."

"Mellon yee-sung can do that!"

"Well, we shall see what we can be done to-day."

CHAPTER IV.

An Instance of "Heaven's Peculiar Favors"

"GOOD morning, madam; I see you have succeeded," said the man of science as the Fair Samaritan carried Lee Moy into the surgery of the leading dentist.

She smiled gravely and said, "Please don't express my opinion as to the nature of this case in the mother's presence."

There was present, too, a brisk little man, with powerful countenance and a jovially manner, who soon ingratiated himself with Lee Moy—for, as a rule, candy and cheerfulness and blindness and candy are means not to be excluded from the agreeable—and the Fair Samaritan and this specialist had become famous through his use of them. Even Suey Yep thawed in his favor.

The blinds were drawn, and the dressing of Le Moy's wound was done by the light of an Argand burner, the little child sitting on the knee of Suey Yep.

As soon as it was finished the Man Who Knew took the young mother's place, and watched the light behind Lee Moy's head. Chirrupping like a bird, to attract Lee Moy's attention, he fondled a pencil of light and reflected it from the chairmonogue on Lee Moy's widely dilated pupils.

They remained dilated, and Lee Moy did not even wince under the brilliant light.

"It is the Evil Eye, perchance," thought Suey Yep; but a glance at the Fair Samaritan reassured her.

He only heap dimm," she vouchsafed pitifully, and then proceeded, sighing hopelessly at times.

After the examination was over Suey Yep and Lee Moy were conducted to the drawing room, and the Fair Samaritan broke it with the Man Who Knew.

"It is hopelessly blind, and"—— He paused, looking at her with kindly compassion.

"And in a few weeks Lee Moy's place will be vacant."

To Be Continued To-morrow.

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BEAUTY EXPERT'S LETTER BAG

Subject Today—Figure Building

DEAR BEAUTY EXPERT—Please tell me if there is any way I can use at home that will help me increase my figure. My hips are abnormally large and fat, but my bust is so small and undeveloped that above my waist line I am quite flat. I cannot understand it.

I have tried all sort of medicines and advertised things—tablets, pills and lotions, but have found them all worthless. I want to get rid of my fat hips and enlarge my bust, but could spend the large sum I have only to improve my figure. Please give me your advice.

WINIFRED M.

Your case, my dear girl, is not at all uncommon. The trouble is that Nature's tissue-building elements have all been concentrated in one part of your body, the hips, instead of being properly distributed, so it is partly a local condition, and partly a systemic disorder. I have never heard of a case being rectified by pills, tablets, etc., such as you have taken. I know of only one thing that is likely to help you and that is a combination of general and local treatment that you can use at home, without wasting any time. I cannot give you its name in these columns, but if you will write to Miss Janet Gilbert, 112 G. K. Import Bldg., Providence, R. I., and mention my name, she will willingly send you full particulars and directions for using it. It is not a secret nostrum but simply a scientific way to obtain what it seems to be your heart's desire. It is easy to follow and is quick to result. By following her instructions you will be able not only to enlarge your bust to graceful proportions and get rid of all surplus fat on hips and abdomen, but also to reduce your size and to secure a symmetrical figure.

BEAUTY EXPERT.

PROPOSE AUTO RACE CIRCUIT

By J. C. KERRISON.

The first steps for the organization of the National grand circuit of automobile races, proposed by the Contest Board of the American Automobile Association, and endorsed by the Manufacturers' Contest Association at its meeting in Chicago on February 1, was taken yesterday by the departure from New York of A. R. Pardington on a trip to the automobile factories throughout the Eastern States and Middle West for the purpose of interviewing the makers who already have or intend to have racing teams in the field during the coming season.

Mr. Pardington will represent the Contest Board in his negotiations with the various automobile manufacturers and is in close touch with the plans of the board for the organization of the circuit.

In his visit to the manufacturers Mr. Pardington will cover Chicago and Illinois, Indianapolis and adjacent cities in Indiana, Detroit and Michigan points, Cleveland, Toledo and Ohio cities, Buffalo, Rochester, Syracuse and New York points and the eastern factories in Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and Connecticut.

All that remains to put the proposed Grand Circuit into operation is the support of the manufacturers, without which, from present appearances, seems assured.

\$ \$ \$

It is understood that Walter Christie and his front drive car have arrived in Jacksonville for the purpose of securing the one-mile straightaway record on the Pablo Beach.

Here is a hot one:

In making of his mile record week at Ormond last year, when he drove the mile in 27.33 seconds, Oldfield is said to have made seven faster time, but that the force of the wind was so great that he could not hold his head steady enough to be exact, and that the strain of holding his neck were partially removed from the strain. Barnato, to overcome this, will, in his racing trials at Palm Beach, have an extra shield to the glass of his car, in front of his head and also wear a special pair of goggles and face mask to protect his face.

\$ \$ \$

A few more such enjoyable evenings as that spent at the annual dinner of the Bay State Automobile Association on Wednesday night would do much towards developing the spirit good fellowship of the automobile world. It was a great night for the association and a great night for its members.

Robert Lee Morrell, chairman of the contest committee of the Automobile Club of America, said yesterday he hadn't heard anything of the projected visit of Harvey Granger, chairman of the executive committee of the Savannah Automobile Club, to this city. The latter, it was reported from Savannah that Mr. Granger was to come East to discuss some real racing matters with an idea of getting the Vanderbilt cup race as well as the Grand Prize, or National.

Mr. Morrell probably would know of the visit of Mr. Granger, if such a visit were to be made, as he hasn't heard from Savannah since Christmas.

SICK MAN ROAMED STREET UNDRESSED

While sitting at his desk in the East Dedham street police station early today, Lieut. Michael Crowley was alarmed when a man, scantily dressed, rushed in from the street, crying, "Save me, save me, there's four men after me." The man was sent to the City Hospital. Lieut. Crowley believes the man suffering from dementia. He was identified as Edward F. Garvey, 1504 Albany street. He had been sick with pneumonia for the past few days, and became delirious and broke away from his bed.

MOROCCAN CONFLICT BREAKS OUT AGAIN

MADRID, Feb. 10.—War between the Riff tribesmen and the Spanish army has again broken out in Morocco. Reports were given from the office of the War Ministry today for additional troops to embark for Melilla and strengthen the garrison there. The truce between the Spanish and the heads of the thirteen Riff tribesmen was broken by fighting yesterday, which is still in progress. A score are said to have been killed, among them General Rogli.

ARCHBISHOP RYAN IS STILL IMPROVING

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 10.— Though Archbishop Ryan's physicians reported further improvement in his condition to-day, they have decided not to inform him of the death of Bishop O. W. Whitaker until he is practically out of danger, fearing that the news may have a bad effect. The two men were close friends. The aged prelate complained to-day that he was not given enough to eat. He has not yet been allowed to read any but the most important letters and telegrams.

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TO-DAY'S STATE ST. NEWS FOR INVESTORS

The stock market will do business to-morrow as usual, not because the situation needs a watching, but for the reason that the banks are doing business in State Street need the money.

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No one pretends to say that industrial conditions are ideal for the reason that it is not possible to change a situation all over night. There is improvement on every side, and this is all that can be asked for.

\$ \$ \$

The market needs a rest after the steady rise it has had, and a little backing and filling will do it good. This will enable the stocks to pick up a few dollars on the side and give purchasers fresh opportunities to pick up high-class stocks at a lower level.

\$ \$ \$

Bears lay emphasis upon the showing of the Copper Producers' Association, which indicated that the domestic demand for the metal had fallen off of late. The trouble in the matter is that domestic consumers are going ahead on their contracting on the ground that if they cannot get copper at a cheaper price. The probabilities are that they can get it.

\$ \$ \$

It is impossible to get a direct expression of opinion from any financier of importance just now regarding the immediate future of the market. Each one has the intention of stocks on the Exchange, and they act as though some tremendous movement were about standing there ready to buy the whole capital stock of every corporation on the list at the slightest concession in figures.

\$ \$ \$

Canadian Pacific is acting about as Lackawanna did when it was selling at the high prices. Even the youngest operators in State street remembers when Lackawanna moved 200 and set Lackawanna sold there today at 510, and stock of the coal company which was lopped from the railroad property about two years ago, sold at 530. This marked the original Lackawanna stock worth \$400. Canadian Pacific represents, in addition to its railroad on such and maintenance that the stock looks cheap even yet.

\$ \$ \$

The best railroad men in the country say that as Missouri Pacific serves a rich and growing territory there is no reason why it should not make a lot of money. Earnings of 1910 are reported to be record in the history of the company. John D. Rockefeller bought a great deal of the stock some time ago and it has not been sold. If the Rockefeller people, who are supposed to be aggressive, want railroad might be made of the system.

\$ \$ \$

There is no dissimulation in the interest of holding to Atchison and the good buying of stocks. There is an idea that no small corner has been turned in the matter of earnings and that the gain for the calendar year will show at least 10 per cent. earned on the common issue. Atchison may get nothing in the shape of a raise in freight rates, but then it doesn't appear to need anything of the sort.

\$ \$ \$

Chesapeake & Ohio is not only attracting to its traders, but investors as well and as the 5 per cent. dividend is assured purchases are being made that the issue will go to par before the Spring is very far advanced. It is said that the Hawley activities are to be merged with Chesapeake & Ohio is to be the centre of all of them. The stock is one of the strongest in the list.

\$ \$ \$

Bull reports are very widespread on United States Steel. They are so general that many traders are inclined to be suspicious of them now. The stock is near its high point of the October rise, and while for some reason, it was checked, and it is understood that a large volume of offerings came to the market in view of the dividend paid, the stock is cheap at this level.

\$ \$ \$

The stockholders' committee of the Davis Daily Copper Company is sending out a circular, and stockholders who have not received a copy should send their address with memoranda of stock they hold, to the committee, care of F. A. Schirmer & Co., Box 350, Boston.

\$ \$ \$

Robert Winsor has gone to San Diego, Cal., for a month's vacation.

GERMS FAIL TO CURE, BUT KILL

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Germs that travel under the dignified name of "polo bacteria" were injected into fifteen horses owned by Fitzpatrick brothers several weeks ago in order that they might annihilate disease germs supposed to be swarming in the animals. But they weren't satisfied with killing the germs; they also killed the horses. The case was brought to the attention of Municipal Judge Wells in a suit for $200 instituted by C. D. McDonnell, veterinary surgeon, who treated the horses. Fitzpatrick brothers not only refuse to pay for his work, but they began a suit for $25,000

ART CLUB HEARS WARD ON DICKENS

H. Snowden Ward of London, England, gave a lecture last evening on "The Life of Dickens and His Works" at the Boston Art Club. The talk was illustrated with more than 100 original lantern slides, made by Mrs. Ward. Mr. Ward's graphic descriptions of the various scenes from which Dickens drew his inspirations were much enjoyed by his audience. The humor and pathos of Dickens's characters were described, and the lecturer's word pictures of the tragic days in Dickens's own life held his auditors' attention closely.

WORCESTER WANTS TECH INSTITUTE

WORCESTER, Feb. 10.—The board of directors, advisory and educational committees of the Board of Trade are considering the possible removal from Boston to this city and to formulate, if possible, a definite offer to the institution to come to this city if a move from Boston is made. Charles T. Tatman was appointed chairman of a committee of three to investigate the matter, both as to the possibilities of M. I. T. leaving Boston and what definite offer Worcester would make for the institution.

EGGS DROP TO 22 CENTS IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Housewives rejoiced to-day over further drops in the price of eggs which brought the best candled eggs down to twenty-two cents a dozen and the others down to nineteen cents. This is four and one-half cents lower than the lowest prices a year ago and two and one-half cents lower than April, when eggs were being received in Chicago at the rate of a million a day.

WILL OPPOSE HARLOW.

The candidacy of George M. Harlow, private secretary to Governor Foss, for the office of Harbor and Land Commissioner is meeting with lively opposition on Cape Cod. Judge Charles C. Paine of Hyannis takes the stand that the appointment should go to a Cape Cod man.

STOCKS SHOW A WEAK TONE

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The stock market opened firm to-day, but few changes were recorded in the first prices. Amalgamated showed a gain of three-eighths, while Brooklyn Rapid Transit advanced one-fourth. Lehigh, Pennsylvania, Union Pacific, Erie and Atchison were all unchanged.

There seemed to be a slight stagnation in railroad securities. Trading on the curb was active and steady at the opening. American stocks on London were up from one-eighth to three-fourths.

Immediately after the opening activity was shown and prices advanced with the shorts covering in all leading stocks. Commission houses strongly favored the bull side.

Under a selling movement which followed the early fractional gains the market developed weakness and prices of most stocks declined fractionally. Canadian Pacific was the strong feature.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for the leading New York stocks to noon:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Atch., T. & S. F.	102⅞	102⅝	102⅞
Can. & Ohio	106	106	106
Brooklyn Rap. T.	79	78⅝	78⅞
Canadian Pacific	241½	240	241
Ches. & Ohio	86⅞	86½	86½
Chic. M. & St. P.	129	128	128
Chic. & N. W.	148⅝	148	148⅛
Denver & Rio G.	35⅝	34½	35⅝
Erie	33⅝	33⅛	33⅝
Erie 1st pref.	51½	50⅝	51
Erie 2d pref.	129⅝	128	129⅝
Int. Metropol.	20⅝	19⅝	20⅛
Int. Met. pref.	55⅝	54⅝	55⅛
Louis & Nash.	147	147	147
Mo., K. & Tex.	29½	28⅞	29⅛
Mo., K. & Tex. pref.	66⅛	66	66⅛
N. Y. Cent.	120⅝	120	120⅝
N. Y. C. & Hud.	114	113⅝	114
N. Y. Out. & W.	37⅝	37⅛	37⅜
Norfolk & West.	107⅞	106⅞	106⅞
Northern Pac.	126⅞	126⅛	126⅝
Pennsylvania	130⅝	129⅝	130⅛
Reading	161½	160⅝	161
Rock Island	25⅞	25⅝	25⅝
Southern Pacific	120½	119⅝	120
Southern Railway	29⅝	29⅛	29⅜
Texas & Pacific	29⅝	28⅝	29⅛
Union Pacific	180⅝	179⅝	179⅝
Wabash	17	16⅞	17
Wabash pref.	37⅝	36⅞	37⅛

INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Amal. Copper	66½	65⅜	66
Am. Agricul.	57	57	57
Am. Cotton Oil	60	60	60
Am. Beet Sugar	45⅝	45⅛	45⅝
Am. Car & Fdy.	42	41⅝	42
Am. Sm. & R.	80⅜	80⅛	80⅜
Am. Sugar	123	122⅝	123
Am. Tel.	123½	122⅝	123⅛
Anaconda Copp.	43⅝	43⅛	43⅜
Can. Pac. & Iron	36	36	36
Am. Woolen	31⅞	31⅛	31⅝
Brooklyn Rap. T.	79	78⅝	78⅞
Distill. Secur.	36⅝	36⅜	36⅝
General Elec.	174⅝	173⅝	174
Northern Pac.	63	63	63
Pacific Mail	36	35⅞	36
Peop. Gas	107⅛	107	107⅛
Steel Pump	44	43⅝	43⅝
Pres. Steel Car	44	43⅝	44
U. S. Steel	81⅞	81⅜	81⅞
U. S. Steel pref.	119⅝	118⅝	119⅛
Utah Copper	46	45⅝	45⅝
Va.-Car. Chem.	65⅝	65¼	65⅝

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for the leading Boston stocks to noon:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Boston Elevated	128¼	128	128
Boston & Maine	121	121	121
N. Y., N. H. & H.	150½	150½	150½

TELEPHONES.

American	145⅝	145¼	145⅝

MINING STOCKS.

Arizona Com.	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜
Calumet & Ariz.	55⅞	55⅞	55⅞
Calumet & Hecla	525	525	525
Franklin	10	10	10
Granby	35	34⅝	35
Greene-Cananea	40	40	40
Mohawk	43	43	43
North Butte	29⅝	29⅛	29⅝
Osceola	108	108	108
Tamarack	44	44	44
Winona	9	9	9

MISCELLANEOUS.

Mass. Gas	92⅜	92⅜	92⅜

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

Amalgamated	66⅝	65⅞	66
Am. Zinc	24⅝	24⅛	24⅜
Island Creek, pf.	87⅝	87⅛	87⅝
Superior & Pittsburg	15	15	15
U. S. Oil & Co.	101⅝	101⅜	101⅝
Eastern S. S. Co.	70½		
Giroux	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
South Utah	95	95	95

BOSTON CURB.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading Curb stocks:

QUALIFIED LIST.

Stocks.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Anal. Nev.	18	16½	17½
Boston Con.	31	31	31
Bonanza	4	4	4
Cobalts	3	3	3
Chino	22⅝	22⅛	22⅝
Cerbo Grande	7½	7½	7½
Davis Daly	7½	7 7-16	7 7-16
First National	1⅞	1⅝	1⅝
Globe Con.	6⅞	6⅝	6⅞
Inspiration	8 3-16	8 1-16	8 3-16
La Rose	4 15-16	4 13-16	4 15-16
Mexican Metals	3	2⅞	2⅞
Nevada Utah	6	6	6
N. I. Coal	5	4⅞	4⅞
South Lake	6¼	6¼	6¼

UNQUALIFIED LIST.

Butte Central	6	6	6
Bonanza	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
Mackinaw	10	7	10
New Baltic	5	4⅝	4⅝

"DUTCH" NIGHT FOR CATHOLIC UNION

Members of the Catholic Literary Union of Charlestown expect to "get the Dutch" at the "Dutch" party to be held at the clubhouse in Monument square, Charlestown, to-morrow evening. A Dutch supper will be served and Dutch comedians will furnish the entertainment. The feature of the program will be the talk by Manager Fred Anthony and the showing of pictures of "Reminiscences of the Baseball Field," in which he will tell of the doings of Boston baseball players he has met. Former President James F. Maloney of the Union heads the committee.

TWO ARE HELD ON A ROBBERY CHARGE

Martin Powers and Michael Walsh, both living at No. 31 Gold street, South Boston, were held to-day for the Grand Jury in $1,000 each, on the charge of having held up and robbed Charles F. Sullivan of No. 39 Eighth street, South Boston. The men were arraigned before Judge Fallon. The robbery was committed on the Broadway Extension bridge. The robbers got $3 and a watch. Sullivan was severely beaten.

$62,000 IS REQUIRED BY NEW ART MUSEUM

The trustees of the Museum of Fine Arts issued to-day their annual appeal for subscriptions to pay expenses for 1911. The first year of the new building shows that over $110,000 will be required. The income from funds, paid admissions and other sources will amount to $48,000. This leaves $62,000 to be raised by subscription. Each subscriber will receive a ticket admitting four persons to the museum every day on which it is open until April, 1912.

MILL INSPECTION SYSTEM SCORED

Lack of coordination and division of authority between the State Board of Health and the district police is charged as the cause of inadequacy in the factory inspection system, in the report of the commission which was appointed to investigate conditions in factories.

To remedy defects the commission favors legislation which would take the work of inspection out of the hands of the police and State Board of Health and put it in the hands of a Board of Industrial Inspectors.

A Want Advt. is often the road to fortune.

SCHWAB QUITS \$10,000 AHEAD

MONTE CARLO, Feb. 10.—Charles M. Schwab is said to be $10,000 richer as a result of his visit here. His friends say he quit the gaming tables at least that much ahead. He would have taken away more money, but for his dread of having his photograph taken.

For some reason he did not wish to be pictured low and showed almost terror of the camera men. Whenever one got what Mr. Schwab feared would be a good photograph, he paid as high as $60 for the plate and smashed it.

The amateur photographers were sorry indeed when Mr. Schwab left.

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Lawmakers of Massachusetts Must Fall Into Line and Vote for the Income Tax

The correspondence, published the other day, between Mr. J. J. Brooks, general counsel for the Pennsylvania Railroad, and Governor Foss, on the question whether the national Constitution shall be amended so that our national government may once more resume the full stature of A SOVEREIGN STATE by the restoration of its power to levy upon men of large incomes for the support of the government, calls the attention of Massachusetts to the fact that the States are now voting upon this very important question.

Mr. Brooks of the Pennsylvania Railroad, in his letter to Governor Foss, makes the stock argument against the income tax, and that argument is only enlightening because it exhibits two important facts; first, that its opponents, few in number, but loud in noise, cannot say anything against the justice of the tax, and, second, that organized wealth WILL NOT HESITATE AT ANY DEMAGOGUERY in arraying section against section to defend their unjust privileges.

Mr. Brooks says: "If you will examine the results of the operations under the recent Federal law taxing the income of corporations, you will find that over 90 per cent. of the collections from it have been paid by States lying east of the Mississippi River and north of the Ohio River."

And he considers that this is a legitimate argument against an income tax! To an intelligent American public such an argument needs no answer. But, from a sense of politeness, we suppose, Governor Foss did answer it, as follows:

"Primarily, you object to the measure because it bears more heavily upon certain districts than others. But, as a matter of fact, we can have NO TAX UPON DISTRICTS, BUT ONLY ON INDIVIDUALS. Thus, if John Smith, a rich man, lives in Cleveland, and his rich brother James lives in Boston, both may, with propriety, contribute to the support of the government. But if John and James both move to New York city, is there now any reason why both brothers should not still contribute to the support of the government? If so, I cannot find it. Tax should follow wealth, prosperity, accumulation. It SHOULD NOT PUT A FINE UPON A POOR MAN for being poor, but should hold the rich man up to paying his just share in the expense of government."

If any of the readers of the AMERICAN should make a little study of the history of the income tax in this country and throughout the civilized world, they would wonder at the effrontery of men who now oppose THIS MOST JUST of all taxes, and most important of all to the nation in time of grave need.

More than a hundred years ago England first levied an income tax under Pitt. Aristocracy and wealth ruled England then, and those who made the law to tax large incomes made it to tax their own first of all.

For one hundred years our national government has asserted the right to tax incomes. One of the judges of the Supreme Court declared that the nation was saved in the Civil War by taxes raised from incomes. Our country has always used it as the great emergency tax.

In 1894 Congress reduced the tariff, and, in order to make up for the loss of revenue to the government by the reduction of the tariff, Congress levied a tax of 2 per cent. upon all incomes over $4,000 per year. It was calculated that this tax would yield fifty million dollars. But, to the astonishment of the country, the Supreme Court, by a bare majority of five to four, declared that Congress had no power under the Constitution to levy such a tax. It is vain to discuss the narrow and technical grounds of this decision, and it is sufficient to say that the five men who rendered it had the extraordinary confidence to set their opinions up against the previous unanimous decision of that same court, pronounced a century before, when two of the judges who rendered it had participated in the very convention which framed the Constitution, and all of them had taken leading parts in securing its adoption.

The one consolation which a patriotic American, proud of his country's institutions, and particularly of the Supreme Court, gets from this famous income tax case, comes when he finishes reading the opinion of the five judges and begins to read the opinion of the other four. If he lost his faith before, he regains it when he reads the opinion of Judges Harlan, Brown, Jackson and our present chief justice, White. Statesman like and patriotic, these dissenting opinions WILL STAND RESPECTED BY TIME, while the quibbling decision of the other five will meet the same contempt that followed the Dred Scott decision.

However, this decision of five to four has made it necessary to amend the Constitution in order that our national government may have this power which it once possessed and exercised for a hundred years, which helped to save it in its hour of perilous need, WHICH EVERY OTHER CIVILIZED NATION POSSESSES, and which is part of national sovereignty itself.

Therefore, Congress has asked the States to join with it in passing an amendment to the Constitution, giving the government the FULL POWERS OF AN INDEPENDENT NATION.

The power to levy an income tax is one of the most critical powers of the government. If anybody doubts it, consider what Chief Justice Ellsworth, a great judge and statesman, said a century ago:

"It will lie upon the national government to defend all the States, to defend all its members from hostile attacks. The United States will bear the whole burden of war. It is necessary that the power of the general legislature should extend to ALL THE OBJECTS OF TAXATION; that the government should be able to command all the resources of the country; because no man can tell what our exigencies may be. Wars have now become rather wars of the purse than of the sword. A government which can command but one-half its resources is like a man with but one arm to defend himself."

If he still doubts, then let him read Judge Harlan's words, speaking as one of the four judges who upheld the power of the government against the other five:

"Such a result is one to be deeply deplored. It cannot be regarded

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The Latest Word on Style.

That is what women will find in the splendidly illustrated fashion features in the Sunday AMERICAN—They are the best and most in advance of any newspaper.

Never Again

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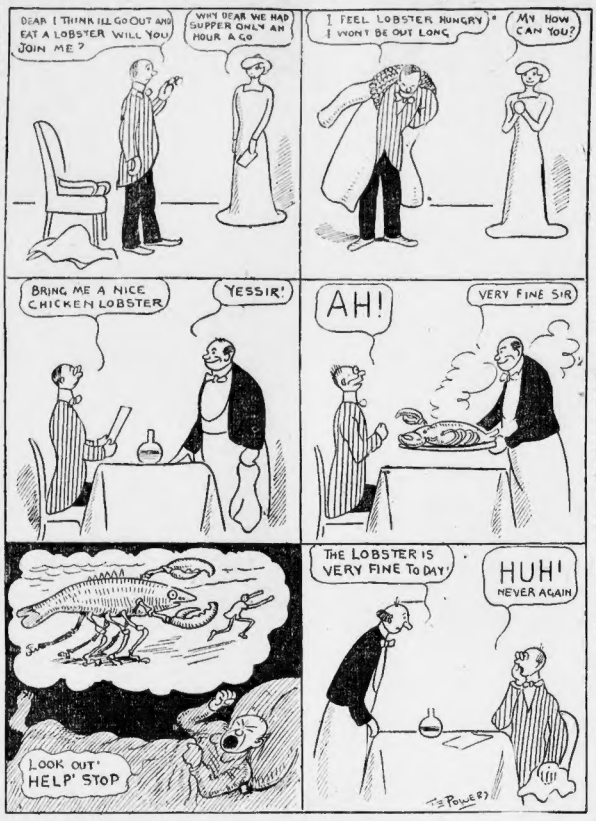
DEAR I THINK I'LL GO OUT AND EAT A LOBSTER WILL YOU JOIN ME?
WHY DEAR WE HAD SUPPER ONLY AN HOUR AGO
I FEEL LOBSTER HUNGRY I WONT BE OUT LONG
MY HOW CAN YOU?
BRING ME A NICE CHICKEN LOBSTER
YESSIR!
AH!
VERY FINE SIR
THE LOBSTER IS VERY FINE TO DAY
HUH! NEVER AGAIN
LOOK OUT! HELP! STOP
T. E. POWERS

Sherlocko, the Monk

By GUS MAGER

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No Mystery Is Too Baffling for Him

OH MR. SHERLOCKO, MY HUSBAND HAS BEEN ROBBED!
WHERE IS HE? WATSO, WE MAY NEED FIRE ARMS!
RIGHT-O!
WHERE DID THE ROBBERY OCCUR, MR. HENPECKO?
AS I WAS PASSING THE CEMETERY, THREE MEN POUNCED ON ME! THEY TOOK MY TWENTY DOLLARS!
STRANGE!
SO THIS IS THE SPOT, EH? I DON'T SEE ANY FOOT-PRINTS!
I-ER- THINK THEY HAD AN AIRSHIP OR SOMETHING!-
WHAT WERE YOU DOING WAY OVER IN THIS DIRECTION?
AHA!
WHY-ER- I WAS CALLING ON A SICK FRIEND!
AHA! THAT'S WHERE HIS TWENTY WENT!
DOES YOUR SICK FRIEND PLAY POKER? EH?— WHAT?
DON'T BETRAY ME, SHERLOCKO! SHE'D HALF KILL ME!
WHAT SAY YOU, WATSO?
OH LET HIM GO;— YOU KNOW HOW IT IS YOURSELF!

The Red Corpuscle

By WEX JONES

MANY subscribers have written asking me a political story, fact or otherwise. Our Editors considered this for some time, but finally decided to abandon the idea, at least for the present. As the Red Corpuscle is essentially a magazine of action—only publishing A. Snorington Snooze's articles as breathing spots for its readers—and since there is no action in politics just now at Washington, we must postpone such stories until things warm up.

Mr. Snooze visited Washington as our special commissioner to investigate the chances of a red-hot fact story. This is his telegram:

Red Corpuscle, Boston:

Nothing doing. Go to bed.

J. R. Jamieson of Wiscasset, Maine, writes an indignant letter: "In your last number," writes Mr. Jamieson, "you began a serial story by an anonymous author who didn't sign his name—ashamed to, probably. In this frequent reference is made to the 'Bad Lands' of Maine, to gold mines and to gun play. Your author has mixed us up with some western place, I suppose. There are no Bad Lands in Maine, gold mining is neglected, and persons who carry guns are fined $10. My friend, Zeke Sprout, the popular butcher, subscribes to your magazine, and hitherto I have been accustomed to read it when Zeke got through. After this, however, I shall cease to subscribe."

We are sorry that Mr. Jamieson has discontinued his subscription in consequence of a regrettable error. The anonymous author who did not sign his name completely deceived our editors, the majority of whom come from New Hampshire, and are, therefore, unacquainted with local conditions in Maine. So far as they can learn the Bad Lands are farther West. We have, therefore, sent the remainder of the story back to the anonymous author who didn't sign his name.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

The average hen can lay 2,500 eggs during her lifetime, but she never does.

The sun is only 2,000,000,000 miles from the earth, although it seems farther in foggy weather.

Tight trousers are to be the fashion next season, but, fortunately, they will not be so tight as the bobble skirt.

Speaking of fashions, a number of gunmetal ornaments will be worn by the Panama Canal.

There are forty-nine canals in Mars.

One egg shell can withstand a pressure of 4,000 pounds.

A squirrel in a revolving cage always looks as if he were practising to become a pianola player.

Although Jonah escaped from the whale, a mouse has a natural reluctance to explore the interior of a cat.

POEMS OF ACTION.

In which Pegasus is spurred beyond the spot limit.

Small boy hit a small boy;
That small boy hit the other;
Now he's very sorry, for
The first one had a brother.

A kid looked out of a window
And then began to cry,
Because that glimpse had shown her
She was partially deaf in one eye.

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A trout was swimming in a pond
And saw a piece of bait;
He snapped at it and struck a hook,
And then got wise—too late.

Which teaches us, when bait is round,
To always give a look,
Because you can't get back your coin
When once you take the hook.

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Once there was a little mouse lived in a very cozy house,
Until he ate up half a cheese and then he got the runs.

THE LIFE SIMPLE

A masterly study in taking things easy, by our somnolent author.

A. Snorington Snooze.

A snowflake lay upon the ground.
In a little while it melted away.
Why should we struggle? Why not melt away like the little snowflake?

In this number we present an interesting fact story of royalty in India. It is from the diary of a Hindoo, and is called

WITH THE CROWN PRINCE.

Showing how the German heir-apparent bagged some big game.

I have a tired butterfly feeling.

After two days' hard labor we have a tiger in durance vile.

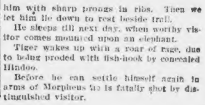
Five days have foiled the great majority in that burn from which no tourist returns.

The tiger is suffering the pangs of hunger unspeeused, but when he yowls for bread we give him a vacant stare.

Today we doped a large chunk of beef with drowsy syrups timed with opium.

Tiger fell to with a will and is now somnolent.

With much exertion to keep him awake we led him forth, attendants encouraging



him with sharp prongs in ribs. Then we let him lie down to rest beside trail.

He sleeps till next day, when worthy visitor comes mounted upon an elephant.

Tiger wakes up with a roar of rage, due to being prodded with fish-hook by concealed Hindoo.

Before he can settle himself again in arms of Morpheus he is fatally shot by distinguished visitor.

Lawmakers of Massachusetts Must Vote for the Income Tax

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as otherwise than as A DISASTER TO THE COUNTRY. The decree now passed dislocates a sovereign power expressly granted to the general government and long recognized and fully established by judicial decisions and legislative actions. It so interprets constitutional provisions originally designed to protect the slave property against oppressive taxation as to give privileges and immunities never contemplated by the founders of the government."

Mr. Justice Brown said: "As I cannot escape the conviction that the decision of the court in this great case is fraught with immeasurable danger to the future of the country, and that it approaches the proportions of a national calamity, I feel it my duty to protest against it."

Mr. Justice Jackson said: "This decision in effect works out a directly opposite result, in relieving the citizens having the greater ability, while the burdens of taxation are made to fall most heavily and oppressively upon those having the least ability. Considered in all its bearings, this decision is, in my judgment, the most disastrous blow ever struck at the constitutional power of the government in practically excluding any resource to income from real and personal estate for the purpose of raising needed revenue to meet the government's wants and necessities under any circumstances."

If you still doubt, please read this statement from the man who is now our Chief Justice, White:

"It is, I submit, greatly to be deplored that, after more than one hundred years of our national existence, after the government has withstood the strain of foreign wars and the dread ordeal of civil strife, and its people have become united and powerful, this court should be compelled to go back to a LONG REPUDIATED AND REJECTED THEORY of the Constitution, by which the government is deprived of an inherent attribute of its being, a necessary power of taxation."

The States are voting now on this question. The Massachusetts Legislature SHOULD FALL INTO LINE this year. Both branches of Congress and President Taft want the national government to be given the power to tax incomes. The whole country wants it, because it is necessary in time of need, and because it is the FAIREST TAX EVER LEVIED. It taxes only the abundance of the well-to-do. It lets the poor man and the average man alone. In Europe the rich long ago became ashamed to oppose this just tax.

All the signs indicate that the present Legislature will be progressive and will, without difficulty, align Massachusetts with those States which would restore to the national government its lost power. But the small group which are opposed have organized and are represented by a lobby and by that disreputable element of the Republican party machine which makes lobbying a living. The opposition of Senator Lodge, though secret, was effective last year.

Therefore, the friends of the income tax should be on their guard.

Two Dozen Boston Notables.

A whole page of prominent men and women of the Hub pictured on parade—Get next Sunday's AMERICAN and you will find them in the big City Life Section.